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Date _____
Name of Compiler _____
Address _____
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No. _____ on chart No. _____

b. Date of Birth
p.b. Place of Birth
m. Date of Marriage
d. Date of Death
p.d. Place of Death

Pedigree Chart No. 1

2 Richard Stephen Lackey
(Father of No. 1)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

1 Ellen Lackey

b. 13 generations
p.b. from Richard King
m.
d.
p.d.

3 Sarah Ann Dickerson
(Mother of No. 1)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

(Husband or Wife of No. 1)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

4 Chad Johnson Lackey
(Father of No. 2)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

5 Jewel Margaret Biggs
(Mother of No. 2)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

6 _____
(Father of No. 3)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

7 _____
(Mother of No. 3)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

8 _____
(Father of No. 4)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

9 _____
(Mother of No. 4)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

10 Walter May Biggs
(Father of No. 5)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

11 Jane Rebecca Dyess
(Mother of No. 5)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

12 _____
(Father of No. 6)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

13 _____
(Mother of No. 6)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

14 _____
(Father of No. 7)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

15 _____
(Mother of No. 7)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

16 _____
(Father of No. 8)
Continued on chart

17 _____
(Mother of No. 8)
Continued on chart

18 _____
(Father of No. 9)
Continued on chart

19 _____
(Mother of No. 9)
Continued on chart

20 _____
(Father of No. 10)
Continued on chart

21 _____
(Mother of No. 10)
Continued on chart

22 Thomas Lee Dyess
(Father of No. 11)
Continued on chart

23 Frances Maria Warren
(Mother of No. 11)
Continued on chart

24 _____
(Father of No. 12)
Continued on chart

25 _____
(Mother of No. 12)
Continued on chart

26 _____
(Father of No. 13)
Continued on chart

27 _____
(Mother of No. 13)
Continued on chart

28 _____
(Father of No. 14)
Continued on chart

29 _____
(Mother of No. 14)
Continued on chart

30 _____
(Father of No. 15)
Continued on chart

31 _____
(Mother of No. 15)
Continued on chart

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Pedigree Chart No. 8

b. Date of Birth
p.b. Place of Birth
m. Date of Marriage
d. Date of Death
p.d. Place of Death

2 Joshua J. Dyess
(Father of No. 1)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

#22 Thomas Lee Dyess

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

#45 3 Columbia Lewis
(Mother of No. 1)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

#23 Frances Albina Warren
(Husband or Wife of No. 1)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

(Father of No. 2)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

(Mother of No. 2)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

#90 Thomas Lewis, Jr.
(Father of No. 3)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

#91 Elizabeth Clayton
(Mother of No. 3)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

(Father of No. 4)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

(Mother of No. 4)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

(Father of No. 5)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

(Mother of No. 5)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

(Father of No. 6)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

(Mother of No. 6)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

#182 William Clayton
(Father of No. 7)

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

#133 Mary Gavin
(Mother of No. 7)

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

(Father of No. 8)

Continued on chart

(Mother of No. 8)

Continued on chart

(Father of No. 9)

Continued on chart

(Mother of No. 9)

Continued on chart

(Father of No. 10)

Continued on chart

(Mother of No. 10)

Continued on chart

(Father of No. 11)

Continued on chart

(Mother of No. 11)

Continued on chart

(Father of No. 12)

Continued on chart

(Mother of No. 12)

Continued on chart

(Father of No. 13)

Continued on chart

(Mother of No. 13)

Continued on chart

(Father of No. 14)

Continued on chart

(Mother of No. 14)

Continued on chart

(Father of No. 15)

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(Mother of No. 15)

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Dyess

Dear Pat:

Thank you so very much for writing to me about the Cooper/Dyess family. I have been researching the family for 1½ years now and haven't found much documentation. Seems like every thing I find has a different view. On the Dyess family there is a girl that told me about a week ago that she had found more information on them and would send it to me. I held off writing to you hoping I would get her letter in time to send you a copy. There are some things I have proven. Christopher Dyess's daughter Winnie married Christopher's step-son Joseph Cooper. Winnie & Joseph came to Texas by 1850 and died by 1853. They had 13 children. Christopher Dyess married Mrs. Martha "Patsy" THAMES Cooper. Martha was the "Widow" of Rev. William Cooper. Christopher and Martha married 08 Oct. 1826 in Lawrence Co. Miss. Martha was supposed to have died in 1856 in Polkville, Smith Co. Miss. I have found no proof of it tho. I can't explain the Sarah age 56 living in household with Christopher in 1850 Census. Christopher didn't leave a will. His property was sold in a Sheriff's sale in Clarke Co. Miss. They say that the sale mentioned a wife but didn't give her name. The Sarah in the 1850 must have been Martha as there is no marriage record found of a Sarah to Christopher Dyess. Do you know anything on this? Rev. William Cooper had two sons named Joseph. The one I research is the son Joseph by Martha Thames. He is the younger one. Enclosed are two charts on Dyess. One is Christopher & his brothers and the other is on Christopher and two of his children by his first wife. I got these charts from Pam Trammel. She is the one who is going to send me more on them. Also inclosed is a census chart on Christopher. Also a chart on Joseph Cooper & wife Winnie Dyess. Again let me say thank you so very much for the address you gave me of Mr. Lowery. Do you descend from the Dyess family?

Pat McGuyer
Pat McGuyer
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Corsicana, Texas 75151

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CENSUS HISTORY OF: Christopher Dias/Dyess/Dyass

m.1.

2. Mrs. Martha "Patsy" THAMES Cooper

Date of birth: _____

Date of death: _____

IN HOUSEHOLD OF: Encircle age group in which this person is listed	Males		Females	Males						Females				
	To 16	16&up		0-10	10-16	16-18	16-26	26-45	45&up	0-10	10-16	16-26	26-45	45&up
1790-Co. _____ St. _____ Name: _____														
1800-Co. _____ St. _____ Name: _____														
1810-Co. _____ St. _____ Name: _____														
1820-Co. Lawrence St. Miss Name: Christopher Dias				2	1	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	0

IN HOUSEHOLD OF: Encircle age group in which this person is listed	Males													Females													
	0-5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80	80-90	90-100	100&up	0-5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80	80-90	90-100	100&up	Aliens
1830-Co. Rankin St. Miss. Name: Christopher Dyess	0/10	1	0	0			40/60	1						0/10	1	0	1		24/10	1							
1840-Co. Lauderdale St. Miss. Name: Christopher Dias																											

Dwelling #	Family #	Head of family	Age	Sex	Color	Occupation	Value of real estate	Value of personal estate	Place of birth	Married this yr.	School this yr.	Can't r. or wr.	Deaf, blind, insane, etc.
1850 - County: _____ State: Mississippi Post office: _____													
335	337	Christopher Dyess Sarah " "	73 56	M F	W W	Farmer			S.C. N.C.				

1860 - County: _____

State: _____

Post office: _____

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FAMILY GROUP NO. _____ **Husband's Full Name** Joseph Cooper⁴ **Page** 1.

This information Obtained From:		Birth Date	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Census Records:		Birth			1811	age 39 in 1850 Census,	Texas b. N.C.		
1850 Limestone Co. Texas		Chr'nd							
		Marr.	27	Jul.	1829	Lawrence Co. Mississippi Bk. 2 Pg. 3			
		Death	Bef.	19	Dec.	1853	Co. Texas (Date of Deed of Estate)		
		Burial							

Marr. Rec. Lawrence Co. Miss
Freestone Co. Probate Rec.
Lone Star State pgs. 427
& 428, By: Lewis Pub. 1893.

Places of Residence
Occupation Farmer Church Affiliation _____ Military Rec. _____
Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc.
Make separate sheet for each marr.
His Father William Cooper Mother's Maiden Name Martha Thames

Wife's Full Maiden Name Winnie Dias

Wife's Date	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth			1813	age 37 in 1850 Census,	Texas b. Georgia		
Chr'nd							
Death	bef.		1852		Texas		
Burial			1852				

Compiler Pat McGuyer Places of Residence _____
Address P.O. Box 879 Occupation _____ Church Affiliation _____ Military Rec. _____
City, State Corsicana, Texas Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc.
Make separate sheet for each marr.
Date 16 May 1991 75151 Her Father Christopher Dias Mother's Maiden Name _____

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Date	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. info. on Children
M	1 Christopher	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
	1. Bethany D.	Death						Colorado	
	2	Burial							
M	2 George	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
M	3 Jonathan	Birth	01	Oct.	1833				
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	10	Jul.	1860				
	Margaret Tisdale	Death	28	Feb.	1883	Streetman, Freestone Co. Texas			
		Burial	Mar.	1883		Old Hill Cemetery, Streetman, Freestone Co. Texas			
M	4 James	Birth	23	Aug.	1835			Mississippi	
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	22	Feb.	1862	Freestone Co. Texas Bk. 1 Pg. 8			
	Julia A. / Juliann Hill	Death	03	Feb.	1883	Freestone Co. Texas			
		Burial	Feb.	1883		Old Hill Cemetery, Freestone Co. Texas			
F	5 Emily	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
	David Self	Death							
		Burial							
F	6 Rachael	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
F	7 daughter	Birth				age 0/5 in 1840 census			
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death	bef.	1850		not on 1850 census			
		Burial							
F	8 Winnie	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	01	Feb.	1857	Navarro Co. Texas Bk. "A" Pg. 108			
	Tilford Self	Death							
		Burial							
M	9 Joseph	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
M	10 Cornelius	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							

* For additional children use Everton Publishers' Children Continuation Sheet, Form A11

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Additional Children and Sources:

Husband's name Joseph Cooper

Wife's name Winnie Dias

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Sex	Children's Name or Full Name (in order of birth)	Birth Date	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add info. on Children
M	11. Thomas	Birth	Jul.	1850		age 3 mo. in 1850 Census b. Miss.			
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
M	12. Reubin H. Sallie Nettles	Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.	03	Nov.	1880	Freestone Co. Texas Bk.3			
		Death							
		Burial							
?	13. ? ?	Birth	?						
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
		Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
		Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
		Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							
		Birth							
	Full Name of Spouse	Marr.							
		Death							
		Burial							

Note: Joseph & Winnie had 13 children. I have found 12 of them. One daughter age 0/5 in 1840 census was not on 1850 census. 13th child unknown at this time.

Sources for Husband:

Sources for Wife:

Sources for Children:

Additional Information:

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CENSUS HISTORY OF: Joseph Cooper
m. Winnie Dias

Date of birth: _____ Date of death: _____

IN HOUSEHOLD OF: Encircle age group in which this person is listed	Males		Females	Males						Females				
	To 16	16&up		0-10	10-16	16-18	16-26	26-45	45&up	0-10	10-16	16-26	26-45	45&up
1790-Co. St. Name: _____														
1800-Co. St. Name: _____														
1810-Co. St. Name: _____														
1820-Co. St. Name: _____														

IN HOUSEHOLD OF: Encircle age group in which this person is listed	Males													Females													
	0-5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80	80-90	90-100	100&up.	0-5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80	80-90	90-100	100&up	Aliens
1830-Co. St. Name:																											
1840-Co. Lauderdale St. Miss. Name: Joseph Cooper	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Dwelling #	Family #	Head of family	Age	Sex	Color	Occupation	Value of real estate	Value of personal estate	Place of birth	Married this yr.	School this yr.	Can't r. or wr.	Deaf, blind, insane, etc.
1850 - County: 11 Oct. 1850 Page 361 State: Texas Post office: Precinct #2													
84	84	Joseph Cooper	39	M	W	Farmer	1750		N.C.				
		Winn " "	37	F	W				Ga.				
		Christopher " "	19	M	W	Farmer			Miss.				
		George " "	18	M	W				Miss.				
		Johnathan " "	16	M	W				Miss.				
		James " "	14	M	W				Miss.				
		Emily " "	12	F	W				Miss.				
		Rachael " "	10	F	W				Miss.				
		Winey " "	08	F	W				Miss.				
		Joseph " "	07	M	W				Miss.				
		Carnelias " "	04	M	W				Miss.				
		Thomas " "	3/12	M	W				Miss.				

1860 - County: _____

State: _____

Post office: _____

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Husband: _____ Dyess		
Born:	Place:	Event 3:
Married:	Place:	Event 4:
Died:	Place:	Event 5:
Event 1:	Place:	Event 6:
Event 2:	Place:	
Father:		
Mother:		
Other Wives:		
Wife: _____		
Born:	Place:	Event 3:
Died:	Place:	Event 4:
Event 1:	Place:	Event 5:
Event 2:	Place:	
Father:		
Mother:		
Other Husbands:		
Sex	Children	List each child (living or dead)
M/F		in order of birth
1. Name:	Henry Dyess	Spouse:
— Born:	ABOUT 1755	Event 3:
M Married:	Place:	Event 4:
Died:	Place:	Event 5:
2. Name:	John Dyess	First spouse: Sabra Green
— Born:	ABOUT 1760	Event 3:
M Married:	Place: Barnwell County S. Ca.	Event 4:
Died:	Place:	Event 5:
3. Name:	William Dyess	Spouse: Elizabeth Evorrit
— Born:	ABOUT 1765	Event 3:
M Married:	BEFORE 1790	Event 4:
Died:	Place: Barnwell County, S. Ca.	Event 5:
4. Name:	Christopher Dyess <i>see sheet 2</i>	First spouse:
— Born:	ABOUT 1777	Event 3:
M Married:	Place: South Carolina	Event 4:
Died:	Place:	Event 5:
5. Name:		Spouse:
— Born:	Place:	Event 3:
Married:	Place:	Event 4:
Died:	Place:	Event 5:
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Husband: _____ Dyess	Yr of Birth:
Wife: _____	Yr of Birth:
<p>Husband: _____ Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">No additional information.</p> <p>Wife: _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">No additional information.</p> <p>Child: Henry Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">RWS 1781</p> <p>Child: John Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">RWS 1781</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Additional spouses:</p> <p style="margin-left: 80px;">Lucy Twigg</p> <p style="margin-left: 120px;">Married: ABOUT 1805 Place: Ga</p> <p>Child: William Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">RWS 1781</p> <p>Child: Christopher Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">4 y/o when brothers fought in RW</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Additional spouses:</p> <p style="margin-left: 80px;">Martha Patsy Thames Cooper</p> <p style="margin-left: 120px;">Married: 10 Jun 1826 Place: Lawrence County, Ms</p>	

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Husband: Christopher Dyess

Born: ABOUT 1777	Place: South Carolina	Event 3:
Married:	Place:	Event 4:
Died:	Place:	Event 5:
Event 1:	Place:	Event 6:
Event 2:	Place:	
Father: <u>3</u> Dyess		
Mother:		
Other Wives: Martha Patsy Thames Cooper		

Wife:

Born:	Place:	Event 3:
Died:	Place:	Event 4:
Event 1:	Place:	Event 5:
Event 2:	Place:	
Father:		
Mother:		
Other Husbands:		

Sex	Children	List each child (living or dead)
M/F		in order of birth

1.	Name: Joshua Dyess <i>see sheet 3</i>	Spouse: Salina Hambrick	
—	Born: ABOUT 1809	Place: Ga	Event 3:
M	Married: 13 May 1826	Place: Lawrence County Ms	Event 4:
	Died: ABOUT 1952	Place: Natchitoches	Event 5:

2.	Name: Winnie Dyess	Spouse:	
—	Born: ABOUT 1813	Place:	Event 3:
F	Married:	Place:	Event 4:
	Died:	Place:	Event 5:

3.	Name:	Spouse:	
—	Born:	Place:	Event 3:
	Married:	Place:	Event 4:
	Died:	Place:	Event 5:

4.	Name:	Spouse:	
—	Born:	Place:	Event 3:
	Married:	Place:	Event 4:
	Died:	Place:	Event 5:

5.	Name:	Spouse:	
—	Born:	Place:	Event 3:
	Married:	Place:	Event 4:
	Died:	Place:	Event 5:

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Husband: Christopher Dyess

Yr of Birth: 1777

Wife:

Yr of Birth:

Husband: Christopher Dyess

4 y/o when brothers fought in RW

Wife:

No additional information.

Child: Joshua Dyess

Postmaster in Natchitoches 1851

Child: Winnie Dyess

No additional information.

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Husband: Joshua Dyess

Born: ABOUT 1809	Place: Ga	Event 3:
Married: 13 May 1826	Place: Lawrence County Ms	Event 4:
Died: ABOUT 1952	Place: Natchitoches	Event 5:
Event 1:	Place:	Event 6:
Event 2:	Place:	
Father: Christopher Dyess		
Mother:		
Other Wives:		

Wife: Salina Hambrick

Born:	Place:	Event 3:
Died:	Place:	Event 4:
Event 1:	Place:	Event 5:
Event 2:	Place:	
Father:		
Mother:		
Other Husbands:		

Sex Children	List each child (living or dead)
M/F	in order of birth

1. Name: James P. Dyess	Spouse: Myra J. Burke
— Born: 6 Nov 1827	Place: Rankin Ms
M Married: 3 Apr 1852	Place: Bienville Parrish, La
Died: 25 Apr 1860	Place: Bienville Parrish La

2. Name: Racheal Dyess	Spouse:
— Born: ABOUT 1828	Place: Rankin Ms
F Married:	Place:
Died:	Place:

3. Name: Winnie Dyess	Spouse: John James Liles
— Born: 25 Dec 1828	Place: Rankin Ms
F Married:	Place:
Died: 26 Jul 1867	Place: Gainsville La

4. Name: George Dyess	Spouse:
— Born: ABOUT 1831	Place:
M Married:	Place:
Died: 25 Nov 1862	Place: Enterprise, Ms

5. Name: John J Dyess	First spouse: Amanda Burke
— Born: ABOUT 1833	Place: Lauderdale Ms
M Married: 28 Aug 1856	Place: Bienville Parrish, La
Died:	Place:

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Husband: Joshua Dyess		Yr of Birth: 1809	
Wife: Salina Hambrick		Yr of Birth:	
Sex Children (Continued)			
6. Name: Elizabeth Dyess	Spouse:		
— Born: ABOUT 1834	Place:	Event 3:	
F Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died: 6 Nov 1827	Place: Pleasant Hill, La	Event 5:	
7. Name: Polly Dyess	Spouse:		
— Born: ABOUT 1835	Place:	Event 3:	
F Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
8. Name: Thomas Dyess	Spouse:		
— Born: ABOUT 1838	Place:	Event 3:	
M Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died: 25 Nov 1861	Place:	Event 5:	
9. Name: Henry Thomas Dyess	Spouse: Tabitha Elizabeth Mixon		
— Born: 3 Oct 1838	Place: Newton, Ms	Event 3:	
M Married: 1 Jul 1867	Place: Bienville Parrish La	Event 4:	
Died: 20 Mar 1919	Place: Sabine Parrish	Event 5:	
10. Name: Joshua Jr. Dyess	Spouse:		
— Born: ABOUT 1839	Place: Clark County Ms	Event 3:	
M Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
11. Name: Ely C. Dyess	Spouse:		
— Born: ABOUT 1842	Place:	Event 3:	
M Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died: 5 May 1864	Place:	Event 5:	
12. Name:	Spouse:		
— Born:	Place:	Event 3:	
Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
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— Born:	Place:	Event 3:	
Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
14. Name:	Spouse:		
— Born:	Place:	Event 3:	
Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
15. Name:	Spouse:		
— Born:	Place:	Event 3:	
Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	

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Husband: Joshua Dyess	Yr of Birth: 1809
Wife: Salina Hambrick	Yr of Birth:
<p>Husband: Joshua Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Postmaster in Natchitoches 1851</p> <p>Wife: Salina Hambrick</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">No additional information.</p> <p>Child: James P. Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Postmaster Bienville, 1854</p> <p>Child: Racheal Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">No additional information.</p> <p>Child: Winnie Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">No additional information.</p> <p>Child: George Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Died in Civil War Never Married</p> <p>Child: John J Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Additional spouses:</p> <p style="margin-left: 80px;">Amanda Martha Whitlow Married: 18 Dec 1858 Place: Bienville La</p> <p>Child: Elizabeth Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Never Married, Lover died in CW Lived with Henry Dyess until her death</p> <p>Child: Polly Dyess</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">No additional information.</p> <p>Child: Thomas Dyess</p>	

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Husband: Joshua Dyess

Yr of Birth: 1809

Wife: Salina Hambrick

Yr of Birth:

Child: Thomas Dyess (Continued)

Died in Civil War-Camp Florida
Never Married

Cause of death: pneumonia

Child: Henry Thomas Dyess

Burried Springredge Cemetary PH, La

Child: Joshua Jr. Dyess

Fought in Civil War
Never married
lived close to Henry Dyess his brother

5 feet 11 inches - pounds

Child: Ely C. Dyess

Died in Civil War Battle of Wilderness
Burried somewhere in Virginia after Battle
Never Married

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Subject: McPhail in MS

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Most in Jeff Davis and Lawrence Co., MS.

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State: MS

Dyess, James Monroe

Birth Date: 8 Dec 1899

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Birth Place:

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State: MS

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Wm C
Dyess

This Indenture made the 16th day of January
Eighteen hundred and fifty four Between Robert
C. Giles and William C. Dyess of the County
of Jackson State of Mississippi of the first part
and A. S. Stevens of said County and State of
the second part Witnesseth That the said
parties of the first part for and in consideration
of the sum of One hundred dollars to them
in hand paid by the said party of the second
part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged
have granted bargained sold aliened conveyed
conveyed and confirmed and by these presents do
grant bargain sell alien convey and confirm
unto the said party of the second part his
heirs and assigns forever the following lands
to wit the South West Quarter of the South
West Quarter of Section No Twenty five the
North East Quarter of North East Quarter
of Section No Twenty five and the South
West Quarter of North East Quarter of Section
No Twenty five All of Township No Six
South Range No Five West containing One
hundred and twenty acres be the same more
or less Together with all and singular the
right and privileges appertaining to the same
to have and to hold the above granted and
assigned premises with the appurtenances unto
the said party of the second part his heirs and
assigns forever And the said Robert C. Giles
and William C. Dyess parties of the first
part for themselves their heirs and assigns
the above described premises and now part
and parcel thereof with the appurtenances
unto the said A. S. Stevens party of the second

these part his heirs and assigns against the
said parties of the first part their heirs and
assigns and against all and every person or
persons lawfully claiming or to claim the same
under them shall and will warrant and by
these presents forever defend

In Witness whereof the parties to these presents
have hereunto set their hands and seals the
day and year above written

Given under seal and delivered } R. C. Diles
in presence of } H. C. Dyess
Notary

Witness in the 19th 20th 21st line made before delivery
R. C. Diles

The State of Mississippi
Jackson County } Be it remembered
that the above named Robt. C. Diles and
William C. Dyess personally appeared
before me A. H. Belmont Judge of Probate for said County
in and for this County and State aforesaid
and acknowledged that they each of them
signed sealed and delivered the foregoing
Deed to the said A. J. Stevens on the day
and year and for the uses and purposes therein
set forth Given under my hand and seal
the 21st day of January 1854.

A. H. Belmont

Recorded February 1854

in Book 10 pages 56, 57, 58, 59

A. H. Belmont
Clerk

JOHN & HARRIET

Born: ABOUT 1812

in ALABAMA

src

Died:

in

src

Born: January 29, 1810

in NORTH CAROLINA

src

Died: December 25, 1880

in GREENCREEK CEMETARY (S. OF PRENTISS)

src H'WY 13 TO GREENCREEK RD (5.6 MILES)

Divorced: N

Marriage location: LAWERENCE CTY, MS.

source:

Sex

Birth dates

1 CAROLINE DYESS

F June 8, 1836

2 WILLIAM DYESS

M November 30, 1837

3 PATIENCE ELIZABETH DYESS

F ABOUT 1839

4 FRANCIS DYESS

M ABOUT 1841

5 JOHN (JACK) DYESS

M ABOUT 1842

6 ELIZABETH DYESS

F ABOUT 1844

7 MARTHA DYESS

F ABOUT 1846

8 JAMES DYESS

M ABOUT 1847

9 THOMAS DYESS

M August 27, 1849

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2 MARY DUNN	F	_____
3 FRANK DUNN	M	_____
4 MINERVA DUNN	F	_____
5 WILLIAM H. (PAT) DUNN , IV	M	_____
6 LOUIS "CLOVIS" DUNN	M	_____
7 JAMES "JIM" DUNN	M	_____
8 ELIZABETH "LIZZIE" ALLEN DUNN	F	_____
9 SARAH THEODOSIA DUNN	F	December 3, 1858
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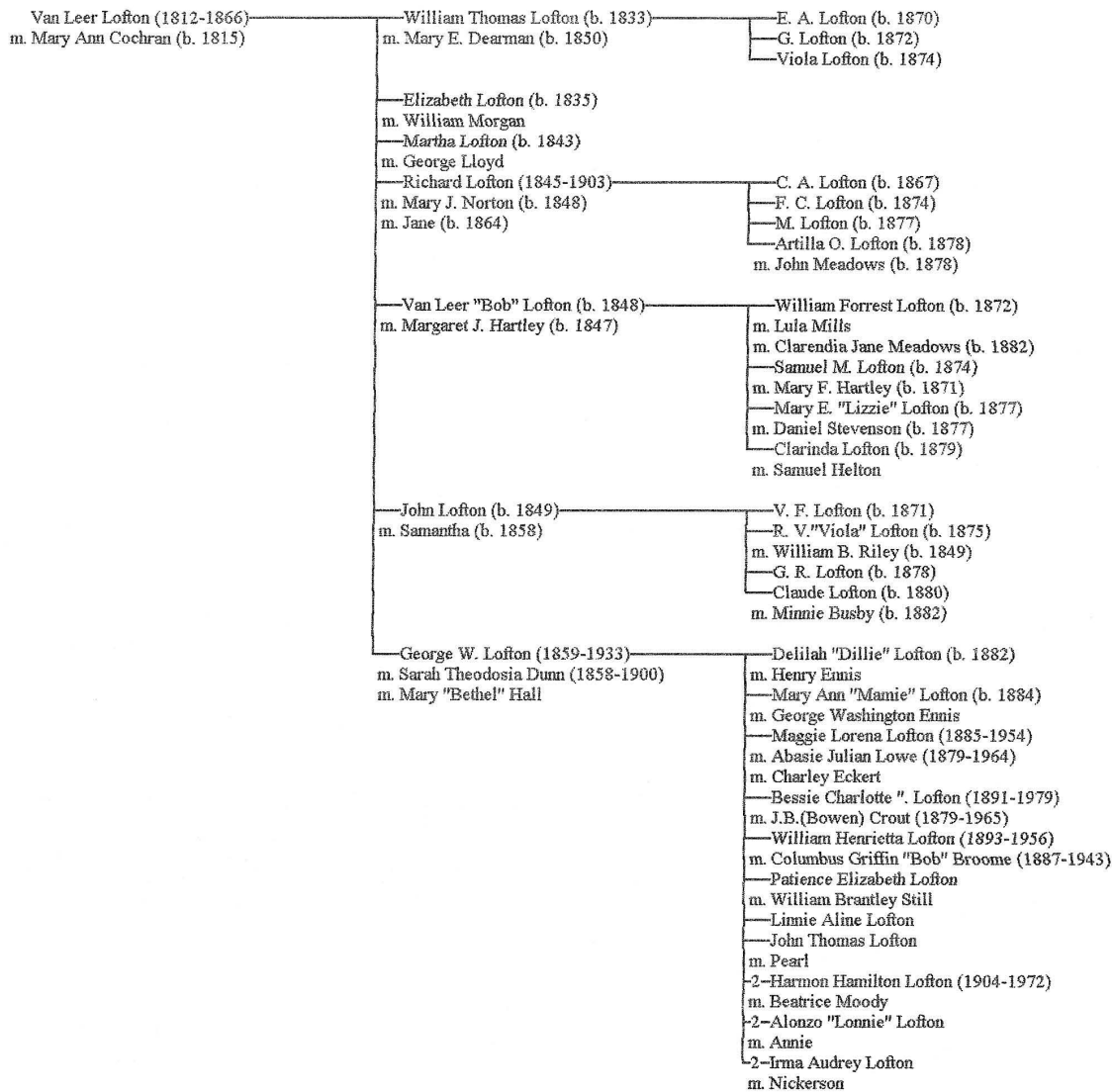
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John Dyess	William Dyess (1765-1800)
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	Henry Dyess (1755-1832)
	m. Winnifred Boyet
	John Dyess (1760-1828)
	m. Green
	m. Lucy Twigg
	Thomas Dyess (1768-1830-1840)
	m. Mary Green
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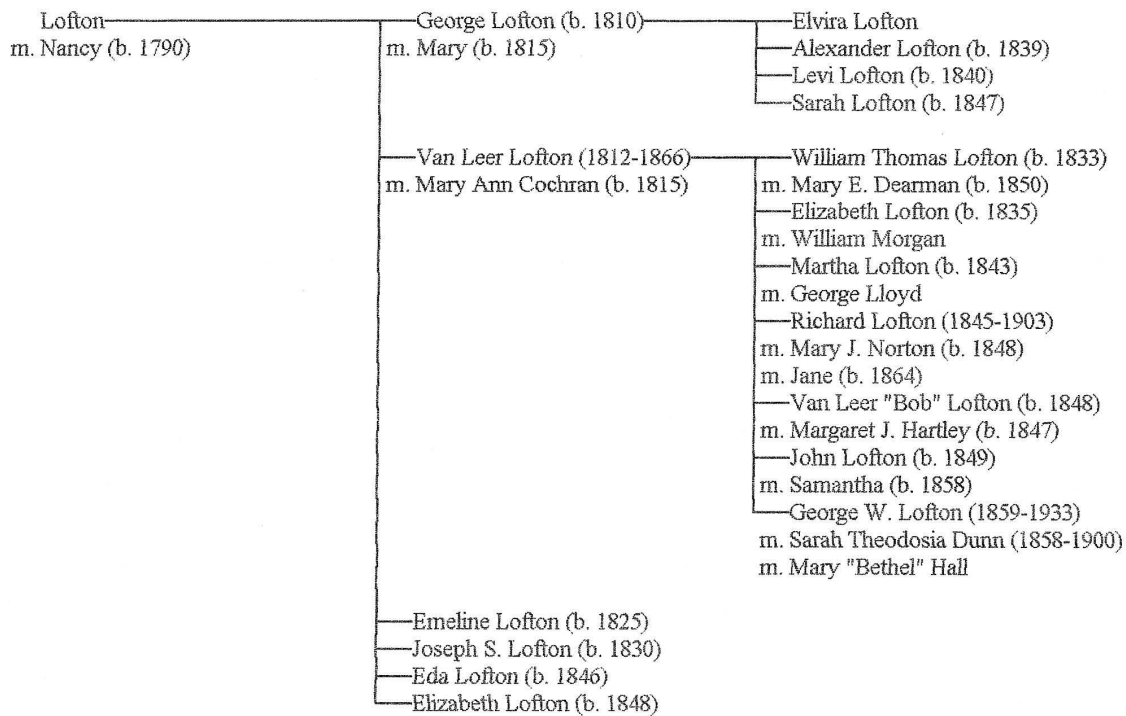
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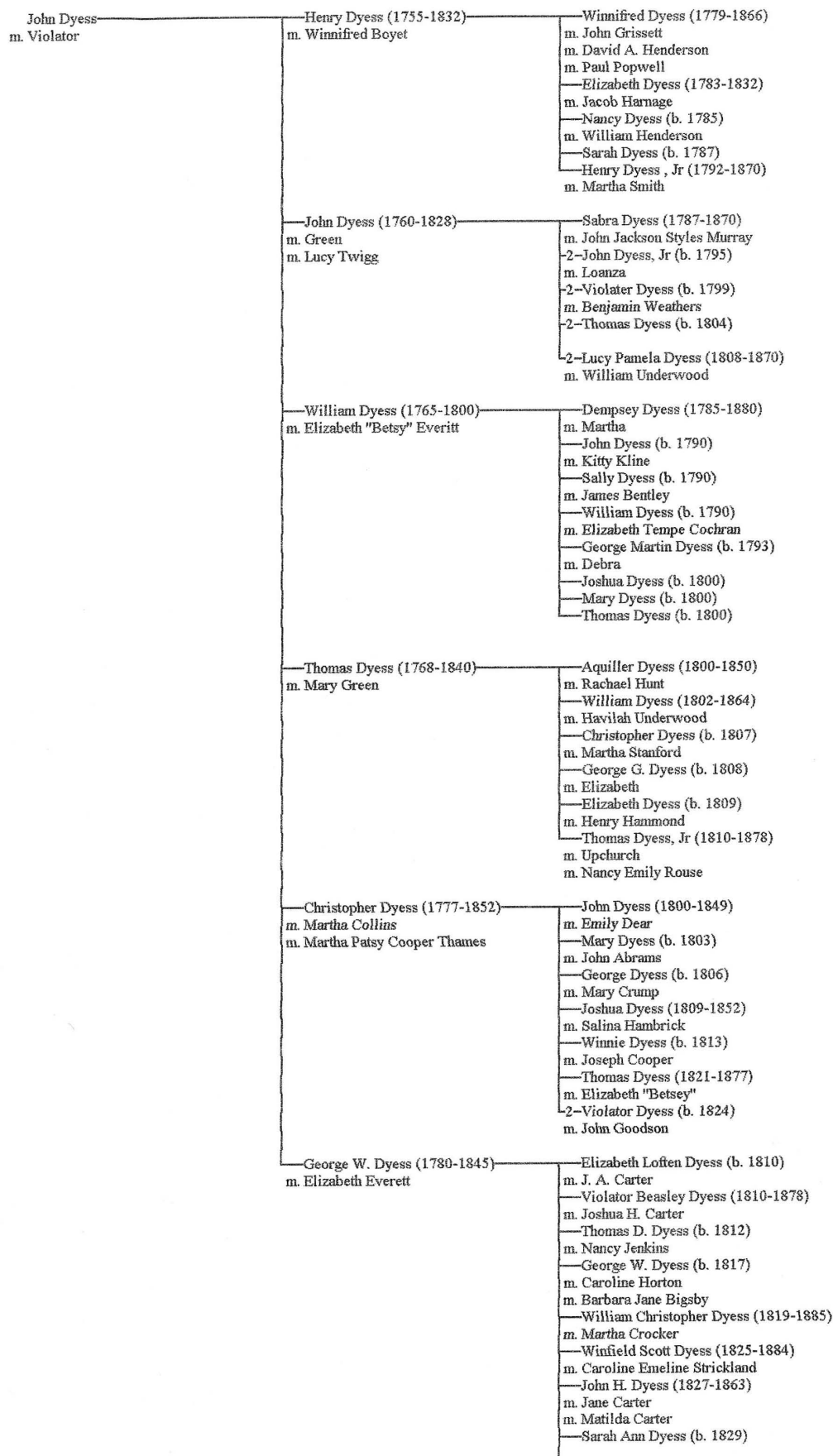
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Descendants of John Dyess of Barnwell, SC

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1. John Dyess m. Violator. Two "Dyess Family" books have been published and both have produced most of the trees included in this data base. The first book was "The Descendants of Thomas D. Dyess, 1812 -1868, and Nancy Jenkins, 1817 - 1868 from Georgia to Texas", by Mildred F. Martin and published by Polyanthos of New Orleans in 1975. A newer book titled "The Descendants of the Dyess Brothers of Barnwell, South Carolina" by Pamela Karen Veuleman Trammell and published in 1994 is very comprehensive and has a new theory about the origin of these original Dyess men. Pamela backs up her theory with an accompanying book that contains photocopies of the most critical documents still on file in various state courthouses. Her ideas and beliefs are based on good documentation and reasonable assumptions. Both researchers are to be commended for their work and product.

1.1. William Dyess b. 1765, Barnwell Co., SC, m. 1785, in Barnwell Co., SC, Elizabeth "Betsy" Everitt, b. SC, (daughter of William Everitt and Nancy). William died 1800, Barnwell Co., SC.

1.1.1. John Dyess b. 1784-1790, Barnwell, Co., SC, m. Kitty Kline.

1.1.2. Sally Dyess b. 1784-1790, m. James Bentley.

1.1.2.1. Eliza Bentley.

1.1.2.2. Francis Bentley.

1.1.2.3. Alexander Bentley.

1.1.3. Dempsey Dyess b. abt 1785, Barnwell Co., SC, m. Martha. Dempsey died 1870-1880, Jasper Co., MS.

1.1.3.1. John Wesley Dyess b. abt 1812, AL, m. 12 May 1835, in Lawrence Co., MS, Harriet King, b. 29 Jan 1810, NC, (daughter of Jim (Hagen) King and Susan Lewis) d. 25 Dec 1880, Jeff Davis Co., MS, buried: Greencreek Cemetery, Prentiss, MS. John died abt 1870.

1.1.3.1.1. Caroline Dyess b. 8 Jun 1836, MS, m. abt 1855, John McPhail, b. abt 1830. Caroline died 12 Oct 1914.

1.1.3.1.1.1. Elaine McPhail.

1.1.3.1.1.2. Parthenia McPhail m. Lawrence King.

1.1.3.1.1.3. Annie McPhail m. Henry Nation.

1.1.3.1.1.4. Minerva McPhail m. Richmond Murray.

1.1.3.1.1.5. Miranda McPhail m. Estus Tyronne.

1.1.3.1.1.6. William McPhail b. 31 May 1856, m. Jane Robbins. William died 12 May 1929.

1.1.3.1.1.7. Elizabeth (Lizzie) McPhail b. 1862, m. Hardy Murray.

1.1.3.1.2. William Penn Dyess b. 30 Nov 1837, Jasper Co., MS, m. 20 May 1856, Sally "Sarah" Rosena Knowles, b. abt 1834, AK. William died 11 May 1928, Bassfield, MS. Civil War 46th Mississippi Infantry.

1.1.3.1.2.1. Amanda Dyess m. 1887, in Lawrence Co., MS, Steve Shivers.

1.1.3.1.2.2. Dicie P. Dyess b. abt 1858, MS, m. Redmond S. Miller, b. abt 1852.

1.1.3.1.2.3. Jasper Dyess b. 1860, MS. Killed at age 19 in a horse race. He was engaged to Amanda Robbins.

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- 1.1.3.1.2.4. Andrew Jackson "Jack" Dyess b. 7 Nov 1866, Jeff Davis Co., MS, m. (1) Edie Shivers, m. (2) Sarah Lott.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.4.1. John Corbitt Dyess (son of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Dyess and Edie Shivers) b. 1886, Jeff Davis Co., MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.4.2. Stella Dyess (daughter of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Dyess and Edie Shivers) b. 20 Feb 1888, Jefferson Co., MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.4.3. Lillie Mae Dyess (daughter of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Dyess and Edie Shivers) b. 17 Aug 1892, Jeff Davis Co., MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.4.4. Buford Webb Dyess (son of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Dyess and Edie Shivers) b. 1894, Jefferson Co., MS, m. Bessie Ward.
- 1.1.3.1.2.5. William Henry Dyess b. Feb 1868, Lawrence Co., MS, m. 5 July 1889, in Lawrence Co., MS, Martha Eudora "Mattie" Bass. William died 10 July 1940, Grenada, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.5.1. Minnie Dyess b. April 1892, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.5.2. William R. Dyess b. July 1894, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.5.3. Murtle Dodds Dyess b. 22 Oct 1896, Copiah Co., MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.5.4. Ella B. Dyess b. Oct 1899, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.5.5. Homer Dyess b. 1905 MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.5.6. Clover Dyess b. 1908, MS.
- 1.1.3.1.2.6. Albert Galtin Dyess b. 10 Oct 1870, m. 30 Apr 1890, Martha Esther Blount. Albert died 10 May 1950.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.6.1. Buford Larkin Dyess b. 12 May 1892, MS, m. 21 May 1911, in Jefferson Co., MS, Lula Johnson. Buford died 12 June 1959.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.6.2. William Blount Dyess b. 22 Aug 1894, MS, m. 6 Sept 1917, in Jefferson Co., MS, Hattie Bass. William died 9 Oct 1969.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.6.3. Robert Gaston Dyess b. 6 Jan 1898, MS, m. Mattie Mae Berry.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.6.4. Calvin Monroe Dyess b. 16 Aug 1900, m. 9 Dec 1917, in Lawrence Co., MS, Maude Mae Bracken.
 - 1.1.3.1.2.6.5. Jasper Dyess b. 8 Nov 1902, m. 7 Aug 1921, in Jefferson Co., MS, Ordna Cole.
- 1.1.3.1.2.7. Martha (Mattie) Dyess b. April 1874, MS, m. John Robertson. John: Resided in Gloster, Mississippi.
- 1.1.3.1.2.8. Sarah (Sally) Dyess b. April 1876, MS, m. Jonah King.
- 1.1.3.1.3. Patience Elizabeth Dyess b. Oct 1838, MS., m. 25 Feb 1852, in Lawrence Co., MS, William Henry Dunn, b. abt 1836, MS, (son of William Dunn and Mary Dunn).
 - 1.1.3.1.3.1. Sarah Theodosia Dunn b. 3 Dec 1858, Lincoln Co., MS, m. abt 1880, George W. Lofton, b. Apr 1859, Mobile Co., AL, (son of Van Leer Lofton and Mary Ann Cochran) d. 17 Sep 1933, Yazoo Co., MS, buried: Sep 1933, Eden, MS. Sarah died

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1.1.3.1.3.1.1. Delilah "Dillie" Lofton b. 1882, Lincoln Co., MS, m. Henry Ennis.

1.1.3.1.3.1.2. Mary Ann "Mamie" Lofton b. 1884, Lincoln Co., MS, m. George Washington Ennis.

1.1.3.1.3.1.2.1. Eloise Ennis.

1.1.3.1.3.1.2.2. Helen Ennis m. MacMurtrie.

1.1.3.1.3.1.2.3. John Ennis.

1.1.3.1.3.1.2.4. Thomas Ennis.

1.1.3.1.3.1.2.5. George W. Ennis.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3. Maggie Lorena Lofton b. 30 Sep 1885, Lincoln Co., MS, m. (1) 10 Oct 1906, in New Orleans, LA, Abasie Julian Lowe, b. 21 Dec 1879, Jones Co., MS, (son of Daniel W. Lowe and Martha Ulmer) occupation Foreman (Masonite), d. 29 Dec 1964, Biloxi, MS, buried: Dec 1964, Laurel, MS, m. (2) 2 Feb 1902, in Lincoln Co., MS, Charley Eckert. Maggie died 4 May 1954, Biloxi, MS, buried: May 1954, Laurel, MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.1. Maude Lowe (daughter of Abasie Julian Lowe and Maggie Lorena Lofton) b. 17 Jul 1907, Laurel, MS, occupation Supervisor-Bell Telephone, d. 30 Mar 1971, Biloxi, MS, buried: Mar 1971, Laurel, MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2. Esther Evelyn Lowe (daughter of Abasie Julian Lowe and Maggie Lorena Lofton) b. 2 Aug 1910, Laurel, MS, m. 26 Mar 1930, in Collins, MS, Cecil Alexander Logan, b. 14 Oct 1905, Clarke Co., MS, (son of Lucien Bonaparte Logan and Susan Catherine Brady) occupation Welder, d. 3 May 1981, Gulfport, MS, buried: May 1981, Enterprise Cemetery, Enterprise, MS. Esther died 3 Feb 1978, Long Beach, MS, buried: 4 Feb 1978, Laurel, MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2.1. Wanda Elaine Logan b. 13 Nov 1931, Laurel, MS, occupation Postal Worker, m. 2 Dec 1949, in Laurel, MS, Jack H. Touchstone, b. 1 Nov 1927, Smith Co., MS, (son of Jessie Henry Touchstone and Ruby Kate Mulholland) occupation Mathematician.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2.1.1. Susan Kathleen Touchstone b. 29 Jan 1950, Laurel, MS, m. 13 Aug 1971, in Andalusia, AL, Danny Serafin Lliteras, b. 13 Jul 1949, New York, NY.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2.1.2. Margaret Evelyn Touchstone b. 2 Nov 1952, Laurel, MS, m. 29 Feb 1976, in Redwood City, CA, Lloyd Hodel, b. 1 Nov 1945, Bakersfield, CA.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2.1.3. Aaron Ashley Touchstone b. 12 Jun 1957, Valparaiso, FL, m. (1) 29 May 1982, Nancy Tatom, b. 23 Dec 1958, m. (2) 6 Apr 1991, Beth Ann Hartung, b. 3 Mar 1962, Davenport, IA.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2.1.3.1. Rachel Elaine Touchstone (daughter of Aaron Ashley Touchstone and Nancy Tatom) b. 26 Sep 1985.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2.2. Donald Neilson Logan b. 9 Apr 1936, Laurel, MS,

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occupation School Administrator, m. 28 Nov 1957, in Brooklyn ,
Forrest Co., MS, Marilyn Ann Overstreet, b. 13 May 1938, Mc
Laurin, MS, (daughter of Howard Cochran Overstreet and Luna
Mae Dunkley) occupation School Teacher.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2.2.1. Cheryl Elaine Logan b. 6 Dec 1960, Minden,
LA, m. 10 Oct 1987, in Gulfport , MS, Michael Thomas
Melton, b. 13 May 1949, Gulfport , MS, (son of Thomas
Warren Melton and Ethel Mae Trippe).

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2.2.1.1. Colin Joseph Melton b. 26 May 1990,
Gulfport , MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.2.2.2. Donald Neilson Logan b. 17 Dec 1966, Biloxi,
MS, m. 14 Oct 1989, in Biloxi , MS, Cammie Jean Atwood, b.
23 Jan 1966, Laurel, MS, (daughter of Cammy Keano Atwood
and Norma Jean Walters).

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.3. Ruby Lowe (daughter of Abasie Julian Lowe and Maggie
Lorena Lofton) b. 22 Sep 1912, Laurel ,MS, m. Ross Horton, occupation
Resturant Owner.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.4. Mary Aline Lowe (daughter of Abasie Julian Lowe and Maggie
Lorena Lofton) b. 12 Jul 1917, Laurel, MS, m. (1) Alex Petit, b. 14 Sep
1928, occupation River Pilot (MS River), m. (2) Barney Frownfelter, m.
(3) James P. Ennis, b. 15 Jan 1911, Covington ,MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.4.1. John Julian Frownfelter (son of Barney Frownfelter and
Mary Aline Lowe) b. 2 Apr 1941, New Orleans, LA.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.4.2. Beverly Ann Ennis (daughter of James P. Ennis and
Mary Aline Lowe) b. 7 Nov 1945, New Orleans, LA.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.4.3. George Lowe Ennis (son of James P. Ennis and Mary
Aline Lowe) b. 15 Oct 1946, New Orleans, LA.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5. Lorine Lowe (daughter of Abasie Julian Lowe and Maggie
Lorena Lofton) b. 27 Jan 1920, Laurel, MS, m. Edwin Edward Duncan, b.
Green Castle, IN, occupation Resturant Owner.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.1. Edwin "Eddie" Duncan m. Josephine Baronich.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.1.1. Debra Elizabeth Duncan b. 6 May 1969.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.1.2. Edwin Earle Duncan b. 8 Sep 1970.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.2. David Duncan.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.3. Theresa Duncan b. 4 Oct, m. Martin Lavelle Comans.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.3.1. Sherry Lee Comans b. 10 Aug 1975, d. 19 Sep
1993, Ocean Springs, MS, buried: 22 Sep 1993, Biloxi, MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.3.2. Martis Lavelle Comans b. 25 Feb 1977.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.4. Nita Loraine Duncan b. 1 Jul 1948, m. Ferrill Lamar
Poole.

1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.4.1. Eugene Coleman Poole b. 8 Feb 1963.

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- 1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.4.2. Joseph Edwin Poole b. 12 May 1965.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.4.3. Ferrill Lamar Poole b. 6 Jul 1970.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.5. Barbara Duncan b. 8 May 1950, m. Keith Dronet.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.5.1. Michael Shane Catchot.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.5.2. Kenneth Darril Davis.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.3.5.6. Connie Duncan b. 25 Nov 1958.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.3.6. Emile Eckert (son of Charley Eckert and Maggie Lorena Lofton).
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4. Bessie Charlotte "Lottie" Lofton b. April 15, 1891, m. 17 June 1908, in Covington Co., MS, J.B.(Bowen) Crout, b. July 14, 1879, d. Nov 21, 1965, Marion Co., MS, buried: Nov 1965, Marion Co., MS. Bessie died Dec 4, 1979, Marion Co., MS, buried: Dec 1979, Marion Co., MS.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1. M. Gladys Crout b. Nov 16, 1909, Marion Co., MS, m. Curtis Tagert. M. Gladys died Sept 26, 1979, buried: Sept 1979.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.1. Louise Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.2. Alberta Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.3. Denis Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.4. Vera Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.5. Harry Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.6. Ronnie Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.7. Johnny Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.8. Kerry Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.9. Patty Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.10. Greg Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.11. Betty Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.1.12. Chrystine Tagert.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.2. Burtis Evelyn Crout b. Sept 16, 1911, Marion Co., MS, m. Sylvest. Burtis died March 17, 1977, buried: March 1977.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.2.1. Theresa Sylvest.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.2.2. Janet Sylvest.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.2.3. Lottie Faye Sylvest.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.4.2.4. Clarice Sylvest.

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1.1.3.1.3.1.4.2.5. Genevieve Sylvest.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.3. Valerie A. Crout b. April 18, 1913, Marion Co., MS, m. Ramsur. Valerie died April 17, 1985, buried: April 1985.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.3.1. Carol Ramsur.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.3.2. J. B. Ramsur.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.3.3. Jessie Ramsur.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.3.4. Joyce Ramsur.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.3.5. Murphy Ramsur.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.3.6. Bonita Ramsur.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.3.7. Rachel Ramsur.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.3.8. Victor Ramsur.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.4. Joseph Bernard Crout b. March 7, 1916, Marion Co., MS, d. Oct 23, 1980, buried: Oct 1980.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.4.1. J. B. Crout.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.4.2. Lynn Crout.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.4.3. Jim Crout.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.5. T. Pauline Crout b. July 5, 1918, Marion Co., MS, m. Polk.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.5.1. Tony Polk.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.5.2. Jerry Polk.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.5.3. Dale Polk.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.5.4. Paulette Polk.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.6. J. Vincent Crout b. Feb 7, 1920, Marion Co., MS, d. June 20, 1944, World War II.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.7. Rita Lucy Crout b. Dec 30, 1922, Marion Co., MS, m. Louis Lamar McBrayer. Rita died Aug 5, 1988, buried: Aug 1988.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.7.1. Louis Lamar McBrayer.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.7.2. Tracy McBrayer.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.8. Herman Louis Crout b. Dec 30, 1922, Marion Co., MS, d. March 23, 1969, buried: March 1969.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.8.1. Herman Louis Crout.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.8.2. Barbara Crout.

1.1.3.1.3.1.4.8.3. Connie Crout.

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1.1.3.1.3.1.5. William Henrietta Lofton b. Nov 29, 1893, MS, m. April 12, 1914, in Laurel, MS, Columbus Griffin "Bob" Broome, b. Jan 5, 1887, MS, d. Dec 5, 1943, Laurel, MS, buried: Dec 1943, Hickory Grove Cemetery. William died Oct 12, 1956, Laurel, MS, buried: Oct 1956, Hickory Grove Cemetery. Given name William for her grandfather William Henry Dunn. Columbus: Brother of Knox Broome.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.1. Iva Ruth Broome b. 6 Jan 1916, Laurel, MS, m. Nov 9, 1936, in Laurel, MS, Butler Columbus Sanders, b. Dec 17, 1912, Jones Co., MS, d. March 20, 1957, Philadelphia, MS, buried: March 1957, Hickory Grove Cemetery. Iva died 7 Feb 1992, Jackson, Ms, buried: Feb 1992, Hickory Grove Cemetery.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.1.1. Robert Eugene Sanders b. April 24, 1938, Laurel, MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.1.2. Betty Ruth Sanders b. Oct 15, 1939, Laurel, MS, m. Sullivan.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.1.3. Margaret Louise "Peggy" Sanders b. Jan 10, 1944, Laurel, MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.1.4. William Butler Sanders b. Dec 20, 1947, Laurel, MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.2. Vera Mae Broome b. 10 Jan 1920, Laurel, MS, m. Nov 9, 1948, in Atlanta, GA, William Lee Sloan, b. Nov 23, 1919, Winston Co., MS, d. Dec 31, 1983, Atlanta, GA, buried: Dec 1983, College Park Cemetery, Fulton Co., GA.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.2.1. Elizabeth Ann Sloan b. July 19, 1950, m. Dec 31, 1971, Dale C. Gibson.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.2.2. Patty Kathryn Sloan b. Nov 7, 1955, m. Oct 16, 1988, Dr. Ronald Brown.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.2.2.1. Ryan Lee Brown b. Oct 26, 1990.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.2.3. James William Sloan b. Dec 16, 1962, m. Brenda Lee Stephens.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.2.3.1. Kristin Lee Sloan b. Dec 7, 1992.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.3. Bessie Carlene Broome b. 2 Aug 1921, Laurel, MS, d. 1980.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.4. Fred Lofton Broome b. 24 Aug 1923, Laurel, MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.5. Hazel Juanita Broome b. 7 Nov 1927, Laurel, MS, m. May 4, 1952, in Offutt AFB, Papillion, NE, Carrol Osmer Roberts, b. June 28, 1913, Clarke Co., Ms, d. May 23, 1976, Laurel, MS, buried: May 1976, Laurel, MS.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.5.1. Carroll Osmer Roberts, Jr. b. Sept 28, 1953. Never married.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.5.2. Frederick Owen Roberts b. Sept 12, 1955, m. Nov 12, 1977, in Laurel, MS, Marlene Bryant. Frederick died July 24, 1978, Sandersville, MS, buried: July 1978, Laurel, MS. Died as the result of a truck/train accident in Sandersville.

1.1.3.1.3.1.5.5.3. Thomas Griffin Roberts b. June 17, 1957, m. March 11,

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- 1978, in Laurel, MS, Cynthia Ann Keyes.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.5.5.3.1. Christopher Thomas Roberts b. July 10, 1978, Laurel, MS.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.5.5.3.2. Samantha Leigh Roberts b. Jan 23, 1985, Shreveport, LA.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.5.5.3.3. Alexandra Nicole Roberts b. May 20, 1986, Biloxi, MS.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6. Patience Elizabeth Lofton m. 29 Jul 1909, in Forrest Co., MS, William Brantley Still.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1. Mabel Lolite Still b. Oct 31, 1909, m. Bill Boyles.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1.1. Gwendolyn Boyles m. Luther Presley.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1.1.1. Phyllis Presley m. Robert Oppel.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1.1.1.1. Bobby Oppel.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1.1.1.2. Scott Oppel.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1.1.1.3. Matt Oppel.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1.1.2. Ginger Presley m. Richard Fryer.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1.1.2.1. Ricky Fryer.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1.1.2.2. Wendy Fryer.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.1.2. Billy Boyles, Jr..
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.2. William Thomas Still b. Aug 18, 1914, m. 1942, Edna Eugenia Cooper.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.2.1. James Brantley Still b. Nov 12, 1945, m. Sandra Elaine Eubank. Lives in California.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.2.1.1. Heather Elaine Still b. Nov 5, 1974.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.6.2.2. Janie Elizabeth Still b. June 29, 1948, Ellisville, MS, m. Dickie Harrison Walters, b. Jones Co., MS.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.7. Linnie Aline Lofton.
- 1.1.3.1.3.1.8. John Thomas Lofton m. Pearl. Lived in Oakdale, La.
- 1.1.3.1.3.2. John Dunn b. Mar 1860, Lawrence Co., MS, m. Jessie Dyess, b. Jan 1863. 1990 Census of Lincoln County, Ms. shows Patience (Mother) living with John.
- 1.1.3.1.3.2.1. Charles A. Dunn b. Aug 1890, MS.
- 1.1.3.1.3.2.2. John W. Dunn b. Nov 1893, MS.
- 1.1.3.1.3.2.3. Rubie A. Dunn b. Dec 1895, MS.
- 1.1.3.1.3.2.4. Henry G. Dunn b. Nov 1898, MS.

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- 1.1.3.1.3.3. Minerva Dunn b. abt 1862, MS, m. Richard Albritton.
- 1.1.3.1.3.4. Frank Dunn b. Aug 1864, MS, m. Sarah Albritton, b. Apr 1865, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.4.1. John H. Dunn b. Dec 1882, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.4.2. James H. Dunn b. Aug 1886, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.4.3. Jessie F. Dunn b. Jan 1888, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.4.4. William B. Dunn b. Jul 1890, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.4.5. Archie M. Dunn b. Aug 1892, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.4.6. Albert W. Dunn b. Sep 1895, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.4.7. Robert L. Dunn b. Dec 1896, MS.
- 1.1.3.1.3.5. William H. "Pat" Dunn b. Sep 1867, MS., m. 7 Aug 1897, in Lincoln Co., MS, Nettie J. Dyess, b. 1874, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.5.1. Benjamin E Dunn b. Jul 1893, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.5.2. Arthur W. Dunn b. Jun 1895, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.3.5.3. Dovey M. Dunn b. Apr 1898, MS.
- 1.1.3.1.3.6. Mary E. Dunn b. abt 1870, MS, m. John Nations.
- 1.1.3.1.3.7. Louis "Clovis" Dunn b. abt 1872, MS, m. 10 Jun 1896, in Lincoln, Co., MS, Mattie Ennis.
- 1.1.3.1.3.8. James Monroe "Jim" Dunn b. abt 1875, MS, m. 7 Jun 1900, in Lincoln Co., MS, Dawn "Dona" Rials.
- 1.1.3.1.3.9. Patience Elizabeth "Lizzie" Dunn b. abt 1877, MS, m. 9 Oct 1896, in Lincoln Co., MS, J. D. Allen.
- 1.1.3.1.4. Franklin M. Dyess b. abt 1841, m. Pasha King, b. abt 1839.
 - 1.1.3.1.4.1. Sarah (Sally) Dyess.
 - 1.1.3.1.4.2. James (Jim) Dyess.
 - 1.1.3.1.4.3. Florence Dyess.
 - 1.1.3.1.4.4. Jack Dyess.
 - 1.1.3.1.4.5. Jasper Dyess.
 - 1.1.3.1.4.6. Oma Dyess.
- 1.1.3.1.5. John W. "Jack" Dyess b. 10 May 1843, Jasper Co., MS, m. abt 1865, Melissa Hill, b. abt 1847, AL.
 - 1.1.3.1.5.1. Mary Dyess b. abt 1866.
 - 1.1.3.1.5.2. Prentice Dyess b. abt 1867.

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- 1.1.3.1.5.3. Lawrence Dyess b. abt 1869. May have been called Tip for Tipton.
- 1.1.3.1.5.4. Ed Dyess.
- 1.1.3.1.5.5. Nettie Dyess.
- 1.1.3.1.5.6. Nan Dyess.
- 1.1.3.1.5.7. Wade Dyess.
- 1.1.3.1.6. Elizabeth Dyess b. abt 1844, m. (1) Ike Hill, m. (2) Andrew Jackson Robbins.
Elizabeth died 1931. Produced no children in either marriage.
- 1.1.3.1.7. Martha Dyess b. abt 1846, m. (1) Jake McPhail, b. abt 1812, NC, m. (2) abt 1862,
Mack Ward, d. Civil War.
 - 1.1.3.1.7.1. John McPhail (son of Jake McPhail and Martha Dyess).
 - 1.1.3.1.7.2. James McPhail (son of Jake McPhail and Martha Dyess).
 - 1.1.3.1.7.3. Harriet McPhail (daughter of Jake McPhail and Martha Dyess).
 - 1.1.3.1.7.4. Mary McPhail (daughter of Jake McPhail and Martha Dyess).
 - 1.1.3.1.7.5. Q. Ward (daughter of Mack Ward and Martha Dyess).
- 1.1.3.1.8. James Dyess b. abt 1847, m. Mollye Cook.
- 1.1.3.1.9. Thomas Edgar Dyess b. 27 Aug 1849, MS, m. (1) Angeline Robbins, m. (2) 17 Dec
1874, in Lawrence Co., MS, Julia Amelia Robbins, b. Lawrence Co., MS. Thomas died
3 Sept 1902.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.1. Mary Dyess (daughter of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Angeline Robbins) b. 23
Sept 1865, m. 20 Dec 1894, in Lawrence Co., MS, John W. Carden. Mary died 14
May 1959.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.1.1. Angeline Carden m. Jim McNeace.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.1.2. Minnie Carden m. Mike Raynes.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.1.3. Tom Carden.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.1.4. Willis Carden.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.1.5. Lela Carden m. Jake Sanders.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.1.6. Clara Carden m. Tom Adams.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.1.7. Maggie Carden m. Pete Little.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.1.8. Frank Carden m. Rebecca Smith.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.2. William Frank Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Angeline Robbins) b.
26 Jan 1869, m. Pasha Bass. William died 23 Feb 1946.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.3. John Absalom Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia
Robbins) b. 11 Sept 1875, m. 9 Sept 1896, Beulah Blount.

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1.1.3.1.9.3.1. Mollye Dyess b. 28 aug 1898, m. 30 Dec 1917, Garland L. Armstrong.

1.1.3.1.9.3.2. Hinds Dyess b. 30 June 1900, d. 26 May 1910.

1.1.3.1.9.3.3. Estes Dyess b. 30 Aug 1902, m. 30 Aug 1932, Zell Louis.

1.1.3.1.9.3.4. Ruth Mae Dyess b. 17 May 1905, m. 26 Dec 1926, Kelly Smith.

1.1.3.1.9.3.5. W. A. Dyess b. 29 June 1908, m. 24 Jan 1937, Mattie Jenkins.

1.1.3.1.9.3.6. Madolyn Dyess b. 6 June 1910, m. 28 Oct 1938, Ira Jenkins.

Thomas Clyde Dyess ←

1.1.3.1.9.3.7. Thomas Edgar Dyess b. 1 June 1912, m. 26 Oct 1940, Ruby Randoll.

1.1.3.1.9.4. Thomas Marion Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins) b. 2 Dec 1876, m. Parenthia Bass.

1.1.3.1.9.4.1. Wiley Thomas Dyess b. 9 Oct 1902, MS, m. 2 Oct 1921, in Jefferson Co., MS, Ida Lee Reid. Wiley died July 1973, MS.

1.1.3.1.9.4.2. R. C. Dyess b. 14 Aug 1906, MS, d. Sept 1984, MS.

1.1.3.1.9.5. James Monroe Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins) b. 28 Sept 1878, MS, m. 18 Dec 1902, in Lawrence Co., MS, Amanda McPhail. James died 12 July 1953.

1.1.3.1.9.5.1. James Otis Dyess.

1.1.3.1.9.5.2. Ossie Odell Dyess.

1.1.3.1.9.5.3. Myrtle Mae Dyess b. 14 Nov 1903.

1.1.3.1.9.5.4. Mary Jannie Dyess b. 16 Oct 1904, m. 23 July 1923, Oliver Prine.

1.1.3.1.9.5.5. Robert Dudlo Dyess b. 28 Nov 1905, m. 1 Dec 1928, Gertrude Speights.

1.1.3.1.9.5.6. Margarie Dyess b. 1 May 1907, d. Aug 1907.

1.1.3.1.9.5.7. William Floyd Dyess b. 26 Apr 1908, m. Clara Aileen Miller.

1.1.3.1.9.5.8. Virgie Dyess b. 5 July 1909, m. 8 Jan 1928, Joe M. Pierce.

1.1.3.1.9.5.9. Ada Roberta Dyess b. 6 April 1911, m. Lawrence Edward White.

1.1.3.1.9.5.10. Avie Lutisha Dyess b. 23 Oct 1912, m. 24 Aug 1929, Leon Randolph White.

1.1.3.1.9.5.11. Rosa Etta Dyess b. 1 Feb 1918, m. 26 July 1937, Issac Newton Reid.

1.1.3.1.9.5.12. Toxie Ray Dyess b. 5 Dec 1919, m. 13 Feb 1941, Bonnie Rae McNease.

1.1.3.1.9.5.13. Bessie Mildred Dyess b. 15 June 1924, m. 20 April 1946, Toxie Hall Gore.

1.1.3.1.9.5.14. Reggie Latrell Dyess m. 28 June 1946, Zetta Mae Smith, (daughter of Mack Cornelius Smith and Nellie Ann Dyess).

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- 1.1.3.1.9.6. Paul Calvin Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins) b. 8 Feb 1880, MS, m. (1) Patty Buchanan, m. (2) 5 Jan 1921, in Jefferson Co., MS, Nancy Blackwell.
- 1.1.3.1.9.7. Sara Laurenia Dyess (daughter of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins) b. 28 Dec 1881, Green Creek, MS, m. 17 Sept 1898, in Lawrence Co., MS, Samuel L. Smith. Sara died 8 July 1921, Green Creek, MS.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.1. Ethel Lueazer Smith.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.2. Almedia Smith m. Robert Carter.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.3. Everitt Smith m. 5 Feb 1946, Myrtice Parkman.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.4. Martin Smith m. 6 May 1946, Willie Pearl Bozeman.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.5. G. W. Smith m. 13 Oct 1953, Hilda Bryant.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.6. Frances Amelia Smith b. 1 June 1902, m. 5 March 1919, Holland Raynes.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.7. Lizzie Smith b. 6 March 1907, m. Curtis Turnage.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.8. John Calvin Smith b. 15 June 1909, m. 11 Sept 1934, Maggie Robbins.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.9. Annie Irene Smith b. 25 Nov 1910, m. (1) Ed Davis, m. (2) Fred Bozeman.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.10. Raleigh Mitchell Smith b. 15 April 1914, m. 24 Sept 1934, Virgie Mae Blackman.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.7.11. Bilbo Smith b. 8 Sept 1915, m. 20 Aug 1945, Sadie Adams.
- 1.1.3.1.9.8. Samuel Lafayette Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins) b. 13 Jan 1883, MS, m. Emma Evans. Samuel died 25 June 1956.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.8.1. Mack Dyess b. 8 Jan 1902, m. 7 Dec 1922, in Jefferson Co., MS, Virgie Mary Reid.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.8.2. Carsie Dyess b. 18 March 1904, m. Estelle Davis. Carsie died 10 Oct 1944.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.8.3. John Henry Dyess b. 2 Feb 1908, m. 29 Dec 1934, Della Ree Martin. John died 11 Sept 1959.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.8.4. D. A. Dyess b. 2 Sept 1911, m. (1) 26 March 1932, Luena Pierce, m. (2) 29 July 1939, Ruby Douglas.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.8.5. Lizzie Lou Dyess b. 20 Nov 1913, m. (1) Orby McAlpin, m. (2) 25 Dec 1930, George Davis.
 - 1.1.3.1.9.8.6. Quinton Dyess b. 27 Aug 1921, m. 9 April 1949, Patty Sue Raynes. Quinton died Oct 1983.
- 1.1.3.1.9.9. George Washington Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins) b. 27 April 1884, Jeff Davis Co., MS, m. 26 Dec 1904, in Lawrence Co., MS, Carrie V. McPhail. George died 30 June 1967.
- 1.1.3.1.9.10. Albert Brown Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia

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Robbins) b. 13 Nov 1885, Jefferson Co., MS, m. 5 Dec 1912, in Jefferson Co., MS, Pasha King. Albert died 1947, Prentiss, MS.

1.1.3.1.9.10.1. Oliver Brown Dyess b. 6 Oct 1913, d. 5 July 1914.

1.1.3.1.9.10.2. Mittie Parenthia Dyess b. 25 Nov 1915, m. Nov 1940, William McPhail.

1.1.3.1.9.10.3. Myrtle Lee Dyess b. 17 Feb 1917, m. Sept 1938, Daice Kyzar.

1.1.3.1.9.10.4. Joe Jackson Dyess b. 1 July 1918, d. 30 June 1919.

1.1.3.1.9.10.5. Ross Collin Dyess b. 23 July 1919, d. 5 July 1971.

1.1.3.1.9.10.6. James Lawrence Dyess b. 17 Oct 1920, Jefferson Co., MS, m. 15 May 1942, Emma Lou Blount.

1.1.3.1.9.10.7. James Charley Dyess b. 4 March 1922, d. 12 Aug 1923.

1.1.3.1.9.10.8. Katie Lee Dyess b. 21 Aug 1923, m. 10 April 1951, Edwin Morton.

1.1.3.1.9.10.9. Edd Dyess b. 16 March 1925.

1.1.3.1.9.10.10. Flora Dyess b. 13 March 1926, m. 23 Nov 1951, D. W. Middleton.

1.1.3.1.9.10.11. Alberta Dyess b. 16 Nov 1929, d. 10 Oct 1931.

1.1.3.1.9.10.12. Neddie Lee Dyess b. 11 Nov 1934, m. 15 Nov 1950, James Franklin Dyess.

1.1.3.1.9.11. Nellie Ann Dyess (daughter of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins) b. 2 March 1887, Jeff Davis Co., MS, m. 19 Dec 1907, Mack Cornelius Smith. Nellie died 15 Oct 1971, Jeff Davis Co., MS.

1.1.3.1.9.11.1. Zetta Mae Smith m. 28 June 1946, Reggie Latrell Dyess, (son of James Monroe Dyess and Amanda McPhail).

1.1.3.1.9.11.2. M. Smith b. 28 Oct 1908, m. 9 Oct 1927, Katie Bell Dyess.

1.1.3.1.9.11.3. Emma Oreva Smith b. 17 Jan 1910, m. 28 July 1934, Alvin Henry Nations.

1.1.3.1.9.11.4. Leola Laurenia Smith b. 17 Feb 1910, m. (1) Charles Nobles, m. (2) 19 Oct 1929, J. D. Smith.

1.1.3.1.9.11.5. William McKinley Smith b. 11 March 1915, m. 6 June 1936, Reidie Glen McPhail.

1.1.3.1.9.11.6. Isiah Smith b. 24 July 1916.

1.1.3.1.9.11.7. Ovet Smith b. 13 June 1918, m. 27 Oct 1951, Bobbie Jean Raynes.

1.1.3.1.9.11.8. Maudell Smith b. 24 Dec 1923, m. 15 Nov 1947, Laurince Vaughan.

1.1.3.1.9.11.9. Charles Ralph Smith b. 4 Sept 1928, m. 24 Feb 1955, Marlene Carolyn Hansen.

1.1.3.1.9.12. Edgar Eugene Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins) b. 3 Sept 1888, MS, m. 2 Dec 1910, in Jefferson Co., MS, Ethel Carolyn

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Murray. Edgar died 19 Jan 1970.

1.1.3.1.9.12.1. Jonah Edward Dyess b. 10 March 1912, m. 23 July 1932, Jessie Lee Evans. Jonah died 23 Jan 1968.

1.1.3.1.9.12.2. Mattie Idell Dyess b. 20 Jan 1914, m. (1) 4 Aug 1934, J. B. Holmes, m. (2) 17 April 1946, James Clyde Haddox.

1.1.3.1.9.12.3. Myrtle Mae Dyess b. 2 May 1916, m. April 1935, Guy Evans. Myrtle died 30 April 1966.

1.1.3.1.9.12.4. Birdie Rae Dyess b. 28 March 1919, m. 23 Dec 1939, Vernon Evans.

1.1.3.1.9.12.5. Ruby Nell Dyess b. 21 March 1921, m. 10 Oct 1941, James Bryant.

1.1.3.1.9.12.6. Willie Ossie Dyess b. 25 June 1923, m. 13 Dec 1944, Jasper Graves.

1.1.3.1.9.12.7. Tressie Eugenia Dyess b. 17 Nov 1925, m. 11 Feb 1943, Leroy Reynolds. Tressie died 12 June 1944.

1.1.3.1.9.12.8. Hardie Ruth Dyess b. 14 March 1928, m. 21 June 1947, Alvin Earnest Saulters.

1.1.3.1.9.12.9. Tommie Loyce Dyess b. 18 May 1929, m. 5 July 1947, William Thomas Norris.

1.1.3.1.9.12.10. Ethel Oneida Dyess b. 23 March 1932, m. 3 Jan 1952, William Tabor.

1.1.3.1.9.12.11. Hugh Carroll Dyess b. 14 March 1935, m. May 1955, Dicy Lee Dyess.

1.1.3.1.9.12.12. Kermit Edwin Dyess b. 28 June 1938, m. 21 Aug 1959, Freda Rose Harrel.

1.1.3.1.9.13. Charlie Ivan Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins) b. 15 June 1890, MS, m. (1) Millie Bass, m. (2) 20 Dec 1907, in Jefferson Co., MS, Maude McPhail.

1.1.3.1.9.13.1. Walteen Dyess (daughter of Charlie Ivan Dyess and Millie Bass) m. Glen Romine.

1.1.3.1.9.13.2. William Earl Dyess (son of Charlie Ivan Dyess and Millie Bass) b. 2 June 1921, m. 19 Nov 1945, Jeanette Zeigler.

1.1.3.1.9.13.3. Charles Louis Dyess (son of Charlie Ivan Dyess and Maude McPhail) b. 2 Nov 1908, m. (1) 14 Sept 1929, Gertie Mae Evans, m. (2) 22 March 1942, Emma Della Nelson.

1.1.3.1.9.13.4. Annie Roberta Dyess (daughter of Charlie Ivan Dyess and Maude McPhail) b. 17 June 1910, m. 12 Dec 1927, Thomas Alvin Bullock.

1.1.3.1.9.13.5. William Edward Dyess (son of Charlie Ivan Dyess and Maude McPhail) b. 6 July 1912, m. 15 March 1931, Lillie Belle Jinks.

1.1.3.1.9.13.6. Wilburn Lee Dyess (son of Charlie Ivan Dyess and Maude McPhail) b. 7 April 1914, m. Hazel Azlee Ward.

1.1.3.1.9.13.7. Willis Mike Dyess (son of Charlie Ivan Dyess and Maude McPhail)

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b. 12 Dec 1916.

1.1.3.1.9.14. Joel Jackson Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins)
b. 23 May 1892, MS, m. 5 March 1919, in Jefferson Co., MS, Olive Myra Pierce.

1.1.3.1.9.15. Walter Laten Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins)
b. 27 Sept 1893, Jeff Davis Co., MS, m. Bella Raynes. Walter died 17 Dec 1917, Jeff
Davis Co., MS.

1.1.3.1.9.15.1. Daniel Webster Dyess b. 17 March 1917, m. 19 Nov 1946, Lorraine
Grayson.

1.1.3.1.9.16. Robert Wilburn Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia
Robbins) b. 6 May 1895, Jeff Davis Co., MS, m. 8 Aug 1914, in Jefferson Co., MS,
Maybell Reid.

1.1.3.1.9.16.1. Dezzie Inez Dyess b. 16 Oct 1915, d. 1918.

1.1.3.1.9.16.2. Delphia Mae Dyess b. 14 Nov 1918, m. 4 July 1937, James Harlon
Martin.

1.1.3.1.9.16.3. Arthur Lee Dyess b. 4 March 1921, m. 18 Jan 1941, Bonnie Lee
Nations.

1.1.3.1.9.16.4. Lloyd Dyess b. 3 March 1923, m. 26 Jan 1952, Sarah Christine Bass.

1.1.3.1.9.16.5. Pauline Dyess b. 29 March 1925, m. 3 April 1941, Claude Jenkins,
(son of William Douglas Jenkins).

1.1.3.1.9.16.6. Bobbie Christine Dyess b. 25 Nov 1927, m. Willard Speights.

1.1.3.1.9.16.7. Irene Dyess b. 25 Nov 1929, m. 30 Jan 1947, Virgil Jones.

1.1.3.1.9.16.8. Nevis Dyess b. 19 June 1932, m. 10 March 1951, Betty Lou Graves.

1.1.3.1.9.16.9. Mary Nell Dyess b. 16 June 1935, m. 8 Feb 1954, Franklin Leroy
Bass.

1.1.3.1.9.16.10. Jimmy Thomas Dyess b. 28 March 1937, m. Oct 1957, Alice Ruth
Richardson.

1.1.3.1.9.16.11. Robert Wilburn Dyess b. 16 April 1939, m. 4 May 1957, Mary Lou
Turner.

1.1.3.1.9.16.12. Marilyn Dyess b. 9 June 1943, m. 16 Oct 1961, Billy Chance.

1.1.3.1.9.16.13. Mildred Dyess b. 9 June 1943, m. Roy Ford.

1.1.3.1.9.16.14. Bennie Ray Dyess b. 11 June 1943, m. 17 Sept 1966, Nancy Shows.

1.1.3.1.9.17. Jonie Edgar Dyess (son of Thomas Edgar Dyess and Julia Amelia Robbins)
b. 8 May 1899, MS, d. 1 Sept 1901.

1.1.3.2. William "Bill" Dyess b. 1815-1820, MS.

1.1.3.3. Dyess m. Ephern Green.

1.1.3.4. Dyess m. Burkes.

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- 1.1.3.5. Dyess m. Walder.
- 1.1.3.6. Dempsey E. Dyess b. 1826, MS, m. Sara Anderson. Dempsey died 1885, Jasper Co., MS.
 - 1.1.3.6.1. Martha Jane Dyess b. 1849, MS, m. Gandy.
 - 1.1.3.6.2. Allen Watson Dyess b. 1850, Jackson, Ms, m. Susan Walker Hudson. Allen died Aug 1931, Lubbock, TX.
 - 1.1.3.6.2.1. Thomas Dyess.
 - 1.1.3.6.2.2. Estelle Dyess.
 - 1.1.3.6.2.3. Malinda "Lindy" Dyess.
 - 1.1.3.6.2.4. Irene Dyess.
 - 1.1.3.6.2.5. Tony Q. Dyess b. Dec 1881, Brazos Co., TX, m. Mary Matilda Murphy. Tony died 18 Aug 1927, Lubbock, TX.
 - 1.1.3.6.2.5.1. Nellie Maude Dyess b. 27 July 1902, Wilbarger, TX.
 - 1.1.3.6.2.5.2. Tony Reubin Q. Dyess b. 9 April 1910, Thalia, TX, m. Joyce Arey.
 - 1.1.3.6.2.5.3. Raymond Thomas Dyess b. 3 Feb 1913, Vernon, TX, m. Lola Bess Todd.
 - 1.1.3.6.3. James M. Dyess b. 1856, MS.
 - 1.1.3.6.4. Abraham Dyess b. 1858, MS.
 - 1.1.3.6.5. Sarah Ann Dyess b. 1860, MS, m. J. B. Musgrove.
 - 1.1.3.6.6. John T. Dyess b. 1863, MS.
- 1.1.4. Joshua Dyess b. 1790-1800, Barnwell Co., SC.
- 1.1.5. Mary Dyess b. 1790-1800, Barnwell Co., SC.
- 1.1.6. Thomas Dyess b. 1790-1800.
 - 1.1.6.1. Decota Dyess.
- 1.1.7. William Dyess b. 1790, Barnwell Co., SC, m. 25 Dec 1811, in Jones Co., GA, Elizabeth Tempe Cochran.
- 1.1.8. George Martin Dyess b. 1793, Barnwell Co., SC, m. Debra.
 - 1.1.8.1. James Dyess b. 1824, MS.
 - 1.1.8.2. Willis Dyess b. 1828, MS.
 - 1.1.8.3. Stephanie Dyess b. 1831, MS.
 - 1.1.8.4. John Dyess b. 1834, MS.
 - 1.1.8.5. Jasper Dyess b. 1836, MS.
 - 1.1.8.6. William Dyess b. 1838, MS.

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- 1.1.8.7. Benjamin F. Dyess b. 1841, MS, d. 18 Jan 1917, Sabine Parish, LA.
- 1.1.8.8. Robert Dyess b. 1847, MS.
- 1.2. Henry Dyess b. 1755, Barnwell Co., SC, m. Winnifred Boyet, (daughter of William Boyet and Elizabeth). Henry died 1832, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.2.1. Winnifred Dyess b. 1779, Barnwell Co., SC, m. (1) 1798, in GA, John Grissett, m. (2) 1798, in GA, David A. Henderson, m. (3) 27 Oct 1815, in Liberty Co., GA, Paul Popwell. Winnifred died 1866, Madison Co., FL.
 - 1.2.1.1. William Grissett Henderson (son of John Grissett and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1799, Liberty Co., GA.
 - 1.2.1.2. Mirah Grissett Henderson (daughter of John Grissett and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1801, Liberty Co., GA.
 - 1.2.1.3. Mary Francis "Mollie" Henderson (daughter of David A. Henderson and Winnifred Dyess) b. FL, m. 17 Jan 1879, in Madison Co., FL, Robert J. Bishop. Mary died July 1931, Jefferson Co., FL.
 - 1.2.1.3.1. Robert Benjamin Bishop b. 17 Dec 1885, Travis Co., TX, m. 28 March 1907, in Madison Co., FL, Annie Roberta McDonald. Robert died 11 July 1912, Madison Co., FL.
 - 1.2.1.3.1.1. Lois Mildred Bishop b. 13 Feb 1908, Madison Co., FL.
 - 1.2.1.3.1.2. Emma Estelle Bishop b. 29 August 1909, Madison Co., FL, d. 13 January 1910, Madison Co., FL.
 - 1.2.1.3.1.3. Elizabeth Clyatt Bishop b. 10 Oct 1910, Madison Co., FL, d. 19 Nov 1990, Duval Co., FL.
 - 1.2.1.4. Samuel Taylor Henderson (son of David A. Henderson and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1803, Liberty Co., GA, m. Nancy Hill.
 - 1.2.1.5. Thomas J. Henderson (son of David A. Henderson and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1806, Liberty Co., GA, m. Mary.
 - 1.2.1.6. Edwin W. Henderson (son of David A. Henderson and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1807, Liberty Co., GA, m. Martha McMullen.
 - 1.2.1.7. David Henderson, Jr (son of David A. Henderson and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1812, Liberty Co., GA, m. 9 Feb 1843, in Madison Co., FL, Nancy Popwell, b. 1825, Madison Co., FL, (daughter of Paul Popwell and Winnifred Dyess).
 - 1.2.1.8. John W. Popwell (son of Paul Popwell and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1818, Madison Co., FL, m. 1837, in Madison Co., FL, Caroline Loper.
 - 1.2.1.9. Boyette Popwell (daughter of Paul Popwell and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1820, Madison Co., FL, m. 4 July 1844, in Madison Co., FL, Raney Blair.
 - 1.2.1.10. Nancy Popwell (daughter of Paul Popwell and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1825, Madison Co., FL, m. 9 Feb 1843, in Madison Co., FL, David Henderson, Jr, b. 1812, Liberty Co., GA, (son of David A. Henderson and Winnifred Dyess).
 - 1.2.1.11. Eliza Matilda Popwell (daughter of Paul Popwell and Winnifred Dyess) b. 12 Sept 1827, Madison Co., FL, m. (1) 9 April 1845, in Madison Co., FL, Issac Parker, m. (2) 10 Nov 1883, in Taylor Co., FL, Joseph Lemuel Durrance. Eliza died 17 July 1906, Pope Co., FL.

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- 1.2.1.12. Winaford Miriah Popwell (daughter of Paul Popwell and Winnifred Dyess) b. 1830, Madison Co., FL, m. March 4, in Madison Co., FL, Joseph Lemuel Durrance. Winaford died 16 Oct 1862, Polk Co., FL.
- 1.2.1.12.1. Alma Caroline Durrance b. 1859, Polk Co., FL, m. 1877, in Polk Co., FL, Rabon Overstreet Langford. Alma died 1932, Polk Co., FL.
- 1.2.1.12.1.1. Joseph Madison Langford b. 1879, Polk Co., FL, m. 1900, in Polk Co., FL, Alice Maria Burleigh Simmons. Joseph died 1925, Polk Co., FL.
- 1.2.2. Elizabeth Dyess b. 1783, Barnwell Co., SC, m. Jacob Harnage. Elizabeth died 1832.
- 1.2.3. Nancy Dyess b. 1785, Barnwell Co., SC, m. William Henderson.
 - 1.2.3.1. Susanah Henderson b. 1823, GA.
 - 1.2.3.2. William Henderson b. 1825, GA, m. Elizabeth.
 - 1.2.3.3. Samuel Henderson b. 1826, GA, m. Martha.
 - 1.2.3.4. Martha Henderson b. 11827, GA, m. (1) William Holmes, m. (2) William Perry.
 - 1.2.3.5. David Henderson b. 1830, GA, m. (1) Elizabeth DeVane, m. (2) Victorline Q. Quinn.
 - 1.2.3.6. Elizabeth Henderson b. 1832, GA, m. James M. Cooley.
 - 1.2.3.7. John Henderson b. 1834, GA.
- 1.2.4. Sarah Dyess b. 1787, SC.
- 1.2.5. Henry Dyess, Jr b. 1792, Burke Co., GA, m. 1812, in Liberty Co., GA, Martha Smith. Henry died 1870, Baker Co., FL. Served as a Private in Captain John P. Blackmon's Company of Tatnall County Militia in War of 1812.
 - 1.2.5.1. Elenor Dyess b. 16 Oct 1813, Liberty Co., GA, m. 6 Oct 1831, in GA, Ezekial Stafford Miller. Elenor died 31 May 1898, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.2.5.1.1. Catherine Miller b. 1832, Ware Co., GA, m. James Lee.
 - 1.2.5.1.2. Martha Miller b. 1834, Ware Co., GA, m. (1) Lewis Henderson, m. (2) George W. Thornton.
 - 1.2.5.1.3. Amy Miller b. 1836, Ware Co., GA, m. Jacob G. Todd.
 - 1.2.5.1.4. John H. Miller b. 1836, Ware Co., GA, m. Lavina Bennett.
 - 1.2.5.1.5. Barbara Miller b. 1839, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.2.5.1.6. Lusina Miller b. 1840, Ware Co., GA, d. 1841, GA.
 - 1.2.5.1.7. Nathan B. Miller b. 1843, Ware Co., GA, m. Martha Dryden, b. 1850, GA, (daughter of Benjamin Dryden, Sr and Nancy Dyess).
 - 1.2.5.1.8. Martin Luther Miller b. 1844, Ware Co., GA, m. Millie Dryden, b. 1848, GA, (daughter of Benjamin Dryden, Sr and Nancy Dyess).
 - 1.2.5.1.9. Moses Miller b. 1845, Ware Co., GA.

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- 1.2.5.2. Winnifred Dyess b. 1815, Liberty Co., GA.
- 1.2.5.3. Nancy Dyess b. 1818, Liberty Co., GA, m. Benjamin Dryden, Sr. Nancy died 1892, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.2.5.3.1. Martha Dryden b. 1850, GA, m. Nathan B. Miller, b. 1843, Ware Co., GA, (son of Ezekial Stafford Miller and Elenor Dyess).
 - 1.2.5.3.2. Millie Dryden b. 1848, GA, m. Martin Luther Miller, b. 1844, Ware Co., GA, (son of Ezekial Stafford Miller and Elenor Dyess).
 - 1.2.5.3.3. Elizabeth Dryden b. 1836, GA. Never Married.
 - 1.2.5.3.4. Mary Dryden b. 1838, GA. Died in Childhood.
 - 1.2.5.3.5. John Dryden b. 1839, GA. Died in Childhood.
 - 1.2.5.3.6. Nathan Dryden b. 1841, GA, m. (1) Martha Harris, m. (2) Emma Thornton.
 - 1.2.5.3.7. Benjamin Dryden b. 1843, Ware Co., GA, m. Fannie Harris.
 - 1.2.5.3.8. Nancy Dryden b. 1859, GA.
- 1.2.5.4. Ezekial Dyess b. 7 April 1821, Appling Co., GA, m. 1839, in Ware Co., GA, Lydia Cooper. Ezekial died 22 Feb 1907, Sanderson, FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.1. Serilda Dyess b. 1840, Wayne Co., GA, m. William Pringle.
 - 1.2.5.4.2. Margaret Ann Smantha Dyess b. 22 Feb 1841, Wayne Co., GA, m. Robert Clay Gillen.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.1. Mildred Gillen b. 2 March 1862, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.2. Francis Gillen b. 11 April 1863, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.3. Walter Gillen b. July 1865, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.4. Scott Gillen b. 9 March 1869, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.5. Alice Gillen b. 3 Jan 1872, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.6. Guy Gillen b. 14 Dec 1872, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.7. Webster Gillen b. 25 August 1876, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.8. Pratt Gillen b. 1 Dec 1878, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.9. Dora Gillen b. 25 Dec 1880, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.10. Christine Gillen b. 17 Feb 1883, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.2.11. Bertha Mae Gillen b. 17 april 1885, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.3. Mary Dyess b. 1844, Wayne Co., GA, m. Allen Sauls.
 - 1.2.5.4.4. Moses Dyess b. 1846, Baker Co., FL. Died in Childhood.
 - 1.2.5.4.5. William Dyess b. 1846, Wayne Co., GA.

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- 1.2.5.4.6. Samantha Dyess b. 1849, Baaker Co., FL, m. Robert Clay Gillien.
- 1.2.5.4.7. Caroline Dyess b. 1850, Baaker Co., FL, m. James Gabriel Henson.
- 1.2.5.4.8. Henry Dyess b. 1852, Baker Co., FL, m. Rebecca Crum.
- 1.2.5.4.9. George Cooper Dyess b. 29 Jan 1854, Baker Co., FL, m. Martha Roberts. George died 9 Jan 1911, Baker Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.9.1. Rosa Lee Dyess b. 4 April 1874, Columbia Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.9.2. Della Dyess b. 16 April 1877, Baker Co., FL, m. 4 Feb 1894, in Baker Co., FL, James Nathaniel Milton.
 - 1.2.5.4.9.3. William Cooper Dyess b. Oct 1879, Baker Co., FL, m. Mattie Glover.
 - 1.2.5.4.9.4. Gertrude Dyess b. 22 Nov 1888, Baker Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.9.5. Katherine Dyess b. 28 Jan 1891, Baker Co., FL.
- 1.2.5.4.10. Missouri Dyess b. 1860, Baker Co., FL, m. (1) Oscar Powell, m. (2) 1878, in Baker Co., FL, John Sherman Blitch. Missouri died 1910, Baker Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.10.1. Lula Blitch (daughter of John Sherman Blitch and Missouri Dyess) b. 28 August 1879, d. 18 Dec 1882, Baker Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.10.2. Lonnie Blitch (son of John Sherman Blitch and Missouri Dyess) b. 9 August 1886, d. 19 May 1887, Baker Co., FL.
 - 1.2.5.4.10.3. Earnest Blitch (son of John Sherman Blitch and Missouri Dyess) b. 26 June 1889, d. 11 June 1909, Baker Co., FL.
- 1.2.5.5. Aaron Dyess b. 1828, GA, m. 1843, in Ware Co., GA, Caroline Yarbrough.
 - 1.2.5.5.1. Winnifred Dyess b. 1843, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.2.5.5.2. Mary Dyess b. 15 July 1845, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.2.5.5.3. Henry Dyess b. 1850, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.2.5.5.4. Sarah Dyess b. 1854, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.2.5.5.5. Marceline Dyess b. 1856, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.2.5.5.6. Priscilla Dyess b. 1858, Ware Co., GA.
- 1.2.5.6. Moses Dyess b. 1828, Ware Co., GA, m. Keziah.
 - 1.2.5.6.1. William M. Dyess b. 1857, GA.
 - 1.2.5.6.2. George W. Dyess b. 1860, GA.
 - 1.2.5.6.3. Aaron J. Dyess b. 1861, GA, d. 1870, FL.
 - 1.2.5.6.4. Benjamin E. Dyess b. 1864, GA.
 - 1.2.5.6.5. John Dyess b. 1871, FL.
 - 1.2.5.6.6. Susan Dyess b. 1874, FL.

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- 1.3. John Dyess b. 1760, Barnwell Co., SC, m. (1) Green, (daughter of John Green and Sabra) m. (2) Lucy Twigg. John died 1828, Tatnall Co., GA.
- 1.3.1. Sabra Dyess (daughter of John Dyess and Green) b. 1787, Barnwell Co., SC, m. 1815, in Liberty Co., GA, John Jackson Styles Murray. Sabra died 1870, Ware Co., GA.
 - 1.3.1.1. John Jackson Styles Murray, Jr b. 10 April 1831, Ware Co., GA, m. 1 July 1853, in Ware Co., GA, Amanda Fullwood.
- 1.3.2. John Dyess, Jr (son of John Dyess and Lucy Twigg) b. 1795, Barnwell Co., SC, m. Loanza.
 - 1.3.2.1. Loanza Dyess b. June 1810, Tatnall Co., GA, m. 1827, in Ware Co., GA, David Miller. Loanza died 1892, FL.
 - 1.3.2.1.1. Nancy Miller b. 1829, Ware Co., GA, m. Daniel Smith.
 - 1.3.2.1.2. William H. Miller b. 1831, Ware Co., GA, m. Miriah Sweat.
 - 1.3.2.1.3. Mary Miller b. 1832, Ware Co., GA, m. Benjamin Yarbrough.
 - 1.3.2.1.4. Henry Miller b. 1834, GA.
 - 1.3.2.1.5. Caroline Miller b. 1837, GA, m. Jimpsey McQuaig.
 - 1.3.2.1.6. Thomas Hilliard Miller b. 1838, GA, m. (1) 1858, Susan Agee, m. (2) 1869, Rebecca Floyd.
 - 1.3.2.1.7. Susanah Miller b. 1840, GA, m. Randall Jordon.
 - 1.3.2.1.8. Cyrene Miller b. 1842, GA, m. (1) James Guest, m. (2) George Lee, Jr.
 - 1.3.2.1.9. James P. Miller b. 1844, GA.
 - 1.3.2.1.10. David J. Miller b. 1846, GA, m. Serena Sweat.
 - 1.3.2.1.11. Loanza Miller b. 1849, Ware Co., GA, m. Simon Jeffords.
 - 1.3.2.1.12. Stephen Miller b. 1851, GA, m. (1) Julia Sweat, m. (2) Olive Jordon.
 - 1.3.2.2. George Aquiller Dyess b. 1812, Tatnall Co., GA, m. 24 Sept 1844, in Tatnall Co., GA, Mary Odom.
 - 1.3.2.2.1. Alexander Dyess b. 1844, Tatnall Co., GA, d. 5 March, Ellis Co., TX.
 - 1.3.2.2.2. Clayton Dyess b. 1846, Tatnall Co., GA.
 - 1.3.2.2.3. Chester Fleming Dyess b. 1848, Tatnall Co., GA, m. 13 April 1871, in Tatnall Co., GA, Mary Catherine Stubbs.
 - 1.3.2.2.3.1. Francis Eureka Dyess b. 2 March 1872, Tatnall Co., GA.
 - 1.3.2.2.4. Francis Dyess b. 1850, Tatnall Co., GA.
 - 1.3.2.2.5. Mary Dyess b. 1852, Tatnall Co., GA.
 - 1.3.2.2.6. Lurena Dyess b. 1854, Tatnall Co., GA.
 - 1.3.2.3. Esther Dyess b. 1813, GA, m. 12 March 1838, in Tatnall Co., GA, Benjamin Weathers, Jr.

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- 1.3.2.4. Mary Ann Dyess b. 1823, Tatnall Co., GA, m. 1838, in Appling Co., GA, Henry Sapp. Mary died 1877, Bradford Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.4.1. Sarah Ann Sapp b. 1840, GA, m. Elie N. Adams. Sarah died 1920, Bradford Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.4.2. John Dyess Sapp b. 1843, FL, d. 1864, GA.
 - 1.3.2.4.3. Mary Ann Sapp b. 13 Nov 1846, Union Co., FL, m. E. Ank Adkins. Mary died 9 January 1924, Bradford Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.4.4. Benjamin Sapp b. 13 Sept 1849, Union Co., FL, m. 1872, Susan E. Pinholster. Benjamin died 21 Oct 1829, Union Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.4.5. Susanah Sapp b. 1852, FL, m. William D. Adams.
 - 1.3.2.4.6. Julia Ann Sapp b. 1854, FL, m. Silas Newton Johns. Julia died 24 August 1893.
 - 1.3.2.4.7. Celia Elizabeth Sapp b. 12 August 1856, New River Co., FL, m. 27 Oct 1872, in Bradford Co., FL, John Byron Crews. Celia died 30 Oct 1925, Union Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.4.8. Josephine Sapp b. 1859, New River Co., FL.
- 1.3.2.5. William Henry Dyess b. 1830, Tatnall Co., GA, m. 1857, in Marion Co., FL, Mary Elizabeth Garner. In the Civil War as a Private in Co. C, 9th FL Infantry.
 - 1.3.2.5.1. William Frances "Billy" Dyess b. 30 March 1858, Putnam Co., FL, m. 19 Dec 1878, in Monroe Co., FL, Laura Irene Platt. William died 19 July 1892, FL.
 - 1.3.2.5.2. Martha Florence Dyess b. 21 Feb 1861, Hernando Co., FL, m. 8 Jan 1880, in Manatee Co., FL, William Washington Langford. Martha died 21 March 1950, DeSota Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.5.3. Mary Florida Dyess b. 21 Feb 1861, Hernando Co., FL, m. 24 Nov 1885, in Monroe Co., FL, John Morgan.
 - 1.3.2.5.4. James Franklin Dyess b. 27 July 1865, Polk Co., FL, m. (1) 17 July 1884, in Manatee Co., FL, Annie E. Driggers, m. (2) 23 July 1889, in DeSota Co., FL, Francis Patrick, m. (3) 7 Nov 1899, in DeSota Co., FL, Mary Youmans. James died 19 March 1952, DeSota Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.5.5. John Henry Dyess b. 19 Oct 1870, Zolfo Springs, FL, m. 4 Dec 1893, in DeSota Co., FL, Ada Francis Murray. John died 25 August 1947, Hendry Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.5.6. Willoby Emory Web Dyess b. 27 Dec 1874, FL, m. 22 March 1901, in Lee Co., FL, Callie Flint. Willoby died 1945, Hendry Co., FL.
- 1.3.2.6. George Dyess b. 1833, GA, m. 1858, in Marion Co., FL, Eliza Grace Clark. George died 13 May 1880, Hernando Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.6.1. Margaret Dyess b. 1859, FL.
 - 1.3.2.6.2. Mary Jane Dyess b. 1861, FL, m. J. L. Campbell, (son of Alfred W. Campbell and Ellen Rebekah Rogers).
 - 1.3.2.6.3. Susan Elizabeth Dyess b. 11 Jan 1863, FL, m. Eli J. Rogers. Susan died 25 Oct 1920, Citrus Co., FL.
 - 1.3.2.6.4. Francis Dyess b. 1865, FL.

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- 1.3.2.6.5. Polly Ann Dyess b. Oct 1868, FL, m. Benjamin Franklin Johnson.
- 1.3.2.6.6. Lucy Dora Dyess b. Sept 1869, FL, m. 1885, in Hernando Co., FL, John T. Nobles.
Lucy died 1885, Citrus Co., FL.
- 1.3.2.6.7. Indianna A. Dyess b. 9 July 1871, FL, m. 1885, in FL, Henry W. Fitzgerald. Indianna
died 27 Dec 1949, Citrus Co., FL.
- 1.3.2.6.8. James Dyess b. 1876, FL.
- 1.3.2.6.9. Alice G. Dyess b. 1878, FL, m. 1895, in FL, James Miley.
- 1.3.2.7. Lucy Dyess b. 1836, Tatnall Co., GA, m. 27 May 1852, in Alachua Co., FL, Charles
Thomas.
- 1.3.2.7.1. Betsy Thomas b. 1853, FL.
- 1.3.2.7.2. Meridith Thomas b. 1857, FL.
- 1.3.2.7.3. Kiler Thomas b. 1859, FL.
- 1.3.3. Violater Dyess (daughter of John Dyess and Lucy Twigg) b. 1799, Barnwell Co., SC, m. Benjamin
Weathers.
- 1.3.3.1. Edward Weathers b. 1829, Liberty Co., GA, m. Francis.
- 1.3.3.1.1. John Weathers b. 1849, GA.
- 1.3.3.2. George Aquiller Weathers b. 1834, Liberty Co., GA.
- 1.3.3.3. Esther Weathers b. 1835, Liberty Co., GA.
- 1.3.3.4. Lucy Pamela Weathers b. 1838, Liberty Co., GA.
- 1.3.3.5. Sarah Weathers b. 1841, Liberty Co., GA.
- 1.3.4. Thomas Dyess (son of John Dyess and Lucy Twigg) b. 1804, SC.
- 1.3.4.1. Thomas Dyess, Jr b. 1825, GA.
- 1.3.4.2. Elizabeth Dyess b. 1829, GA.
- 1.3.4.3. Mary Dyess b. 1831, GA.
- 1.3.5. Lucy Pamela Dyess (daughter of John Dyess and Lucy Twigg) b. 1808, GA, m. 13 April 1828, in
Tatnall Co., GA, William Underwood. Lucy died 1870, Ware Co., GA.
- 1.4. Thomas Dyess b. 1768, Barnwell Co., SC, m. Mary Green, (daughter of John Green and Sabra). Thomas
died 1830-1840, Monroe Co., GA.
- 1.4.1. Aquiller Dyess b. 6 July 1800, Wilkinson Co., GA, m. 21 August 1824, in Crawford Co., GA,
Rachael Hunt. Aquiller died 1850, Webster Co., GA, buried: 1850, Aquiller Hill Cemetery, Webster
Co., GA.
- 1.4.1.1. Mary Ann Penelope Dyess b. 16 May 1825, Crawford Co., GA.
- 1.4.1.2. Martin Thomas Dyess b. 2 May 1826, Crawford Co., GA, m. 29 Oct 1853, in Stewart Co.,
GA, Emeline Browden.

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Co., TX.

- 1.4.6.2. Mary Mahala Dyess (daughter of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Upchurch) b. 1838, GA.
- 1.4.6.3. Sarah A. Dyess (daughter of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Upchurch) b. 1839, GA.
- 1.4.6.4. William George T. Dyess (son of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Upchurch) b. 1841, GA, d. 19 Sept 1862, MS.
- 1.4.6.5. Reubin H. Dyess (son of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Upchurch) b. 1845, GA, m. 9 Feb 1866, in Henry Co., AL, Susan Bell. Reubin died Tarrant Co., TX.
- 1.4.6.6. Benjamin James Barclay Dyess (son of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Nancy Emily Rouse) b. 2 Nov 1847, Sumter Co., GA, m. (1) 13 Dec 1870, in Barbour Co., AL, Susan Madora Lewis, m. (2) Jan 1880, in Henderson Co., TX, Harriet Lewis, m. (3) 1890, Mollie Poulter Adams. Benjamin died 22 April 1910, Taylor Co., TX.
 - 1.4.6.6.1. Emily Eugenia Dyess (daughter of Benjamin James Barclay Dyess and Susan Madora Lewis) b. 1872, Henderson Co., TX, m. Henry Byles. Emily died 1953, Pettus, TX.
 - 1.4.6.6.2. Theodocia Gertrude Dyess (daughter of Benjamin James Barclay Dyess and Susan Madora Lewis) b. 2 April 1875, Henderson Co., TX, m. 19 Dec 1894, Henry Andrews Deavers.
 - 1.4.6.6.3. Benjamin Cicero Dyess (son of Benjamin James Barclay Dyess and Susan Madora Lewis) b. Feb 1877, Henderson Co., TX, m. Alice Bell McCellon. Benjamin died Nov 1954, Stillwater, OK.
 - 1.4.6.6.4. Madora Dyess (daughter of Benjamin James Barclay Dyess and Susan Madora Lewis) b. 15 Nov 1879, Henderson Co., TX, m. 22 April 1902, in Ellis Co., TX, Herbert Oswald Park.
 - 1.4.6.6.5. Roxye Dyess (daughter of Benjamin James Barclay Dyess and Harriet Lewis) b. August 1886, TX, m. James Garfield Holland.
 - 1.4.6.6.6. Myrtle Dyess (daughter of Benjamin James Barclay Dyess and Mollie Poulter Adams) b. 1892, TX, m. John Simmons.
 - 1.4.6.6.7. Ava Dyess (daughter of Benjamin James Barclay Dyess and Mollie Poulter Adams) b. 1894, m. (1) Leonard Morrison, m. (2) Ted Daniels.
 - 1.4.6.6.8. Leta Dyess (daughter of Benjamin James Barclay Dyess and Mollie Poulter Adams) b. 1895, m. (1) George Patterson, m. (2) Kelly.
 - 1.4.6.6.9. Juanita Dyess (daughter of Benjamin James Barclay Dyess and Mollie Poulter Adams) b. 1898, d. 1898.
- 1.4.6.7. John Christopher Dyess (son of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Nancy Emily Rouse) b. 1850, Sumter Co., GA, m. 1 Dec 1872, in Barbour Co., AL, Rebecca Tew. John died 16 May 1905, Barbour Co., AL.
 - 1.4.6.7.1. John Pate Dyess m. Nora Myrtle_____.
 - 1.4.6.7.2. Mary Dyess m. Will Anders.
 - 1.4.6.7.3. Thomas C. Dyess b. 1874, Henry Co., AL.
 - 1.4.6.7.4. Nancy A. Dyess b. 1876, Henry Co., AL, m. Ransom Tisdale.

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- 1.4.6.7.5. Andrew Jackson Dyess b. June 3, 1880, Henry Co., AL, m. 15 Dec 1901, in Van Zandt Co., TX, Otha Mae Gideon. Andrew died 17 June 1957, Fluvanna, TX.
- 1.4.6.8. Luezes E. Lou Dyess (daughter of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Nancy Emily Rouse) b. 1851, Sumter Co., GA, m. John Frank Thomas.
- 1.4.6.9. Jonathan Cicero Dyess (son of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Nancy Emily Rouse) b. 2 May 1854, Sumter Co., GA, m. 18 Nov 1872, Mary Jane Price. Jonathan died 14 July 1933, Ellis Co., TX.
 - 1.4.6.9.1. William Thomas Dyess b. Oct 3, 1873, AL, m. (1) 18 Dec 1895, in Ellis Co., TX, Johncy Helen Embrey, m. (2) 1937, Lillie Mae Almond. William died 18 May 1962, Ellis Co., TX.
 - 1.4.6.9.2. Jonathan Jackson Dyess b. 27 Aug 1875, AL, m. 25 Aug 1900, Fannie Youngblood. Jonathan died 9 April 1954, Dallas Co., TX.
 - 1.4.6.9.3. Mary Emley Dyess b. 25 Aug 1878, AL, d. 2 May 1886, AL.
 - 1.4.6.9.4. Albert Franklin Dyess b. 4 Sept 1880, Henry Co., AL, m. 18 Aug 1901, Ella Story. Albert died 3 March 1976, Ellis Co., TX.
 - 1.4.6.9.5. Liegenia Dyess b. 17 April 1882, Henry Co., AL, m. 17 Dec 1899, Oliver Edwin Storey. Liegenia died 19 Nov 1971, Ellis Co., TX.
 - 1.4.6.9.6. Sarah Safroney Dyess b. 1884.
 - 1.4.6.9.7. Alfred Benjamin Dyess b. 17 Nov 1885, Henry Co., AL, m. 4 March 1904, Carey M. Story. Alfred died 21 Feb 1970, Ellis Co., TX.
 - 1.4.6.9.8. Eliza Nancy Ann Dyess b. 30 May 1888, AL, m. Charlie Presley Suber. Eliza died 26 Nov 1971, Taylor Co., TX.
 - 1.4.6.9.9. Elbert Josey Dyess b. 17 Nov 1890, Ellis Co., TX, d. 16 Dec 1949.
 - 1.4.6.9.10. Margaret Melissa Dyess b. 17 Nov 1892, Ellis Co., TX.
 - 1.4.6.9.11. Amye Jane Dyess b. 4 Jan 1894, Ellis Co., TX, m. Volney Callahan. Amye died 23 Jan 1986, Kern Co., CA.
- 1.4.6.10. Aquiller Green Dyess (son of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Nancy Emily Rouse) b. 1859, Henry Co., AL, d. 1874, Henry Co., AL.
- 1.4.6.11. Thomas M. Dyess (son of Thomas Dyess, Jr and Nancy Emily Rouse) b. 1863, Henry Co., AL.
- 1.5. Christopher Dyess b. 1777, Barnwell Co., SC, m. (1) Martha Collins, m. (2) 6 Oct 1826, in Lawrence Co., MS, Martha Patsy Cooper Thames. Christopher died 1852, Clarke Co., MS.
 - 1.5.1. John Dyess (son of Christopher Dyess and Martha Collins) b. 1800, SC, m. 28 August 1824, in Lawrence Co., MS, Emily Dear. John died 1849, Jasper Co., MS.
 - 1.5.1.1. Martha Dyess b. 1826.
 - 1.5.1.2. Christopher Rankin Dyess b. 1827, Lawrence Co., MS, m. (1) Rebecca Gordon, m. (2) Sidney _____. Christopher died March 1866, Clarke Co., MS.
 - 1.5.1.2.1. James Martin Dyess (son of Christopher Rankin Dyess and Rebecca Gordon) b. 1848, Clarke Co., MS, d. 1885, Clarke Co., MS.

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- 1.5.1.2.2. Rebecca Dyess (daughter of Christopher Rankin Dyess and Rebecca Gordon) b. 1849, Clarke Co., MS, m. 1 Nov 1866, in Clarke Co., MS, Hiram H. Adams.
- 1.5.1.2.3. Julia Dyess (daughter of Christopher Rankin Dyess and Sidney____) b. 1852.
- 1.5.1.2.4. Joshua Williams Dyess (son of Christopher Rankin Dyess and Sidney____) b. 22 June 1852, MS, m. (1) 4 Oct 1882, in Clarke Co., MS, Stella Woolverton, m. (2) 4 Jan 1898, in Wayne Co., MS, Carrie Taylor. Joshua died 20 Dec 1915.
- 1.5.1.2.5. John R. Dyess (son of Christopher Rankin Dyess and Sidney____) b. 22 March 1855, MS, m. 1 Jan 1903, in Clarke Co., MS, Dora Jane Thomas. John died 29 Oct 1924, Wayne Co., MS.
- 1.5.1.2.6. C. A. Dyess (daughter of Christopher Rankin Dyess and Sidney____) b. 1859.
- 1.5.1.3. Colin A. Dyess b. 1830, m. Mary.
 - 1.5.1.3.1. John Dyess b. 1856.
 - 1.5.1.3.2. William Dyess b. 1860.
 - 1.5.1.3.3. Minerva Ann Dyess b. 8 March 1860, d. 24 Oct 1901, MS.
- 1.5.1.4. John J. Dyess b. 1832, m. Martha. Merchant and owner of "J. J. Dyess and Company Cotton Buyers and Dealers in Dry Goods" in Clarke Co., MS.
 - 1.5.1.4.1. James M. Dyess b. 1856.
 - 1.5.1.4.2. Eugenia Dyess b. 1857, m. W. H. Lott.
- 1.5.1.5. Joshua J. Dyess b. 1834, Jasper Co., MS, m. 25 Dec 1856, in Lauderdale Co., MS, Columbia Lewis. Joshua died 13 May 1863, Civil War, buried: 1863, Chunky, MS. Joshua was a 2nd Lt. in Company C of the 36th Regiment of the Mississippi Infantry Volunteers during the Civil War. Died in service.
 - 1.5.1.5.1. Thomas Lee Dyess b. 3 Dec 1857, Newton Co., MS, m. 1811, in Newton Co., MS, Albina Francois Warren. Thomas died 6 March 1928, Newton Co., MS.
 - 1.5.1.5.2. Sidney Rebecca Dyess b. 11859, Newton Co., MS, m. (1) Frank Buckley, m. (2) 8 Nov 1882, in Newton Co., MS, Charles B. Hughes. Sidney died Dec 1895, Newton Co., MS.
 - 1.5.1.5.3. Elizabeth Dyess b. 11 Dec 1859, d. 12 Nov 1860.
- 1.5.1.6. Burtin R. Dyess b. 1838, MS, m. 21 Dec 1854, in Clarke Co., MS, Susan Buckley.
 - 1.5.1.6.1. Jane Dyess b. 1855.
 - 1.5.1.6.2. Newton Dyess b. 1859.
- 1.5.1.7. Adeline Dyess b. 1839, m. (1) Gordon, m. (2) A. J. Weems.
 - 1.5.1.7.1. Jefferson Gordon (son of Gordon and Adeline Dyess).
 - 1.5.1.7.2. Annie Gordon (daughter of Gordon and Adeline Dyess).
- 1.5.2. Mary Dyess (daughter of Christopher Dyess and Martha Collins) b. 1803, GA, m. 2 Jan 1826, in Lawrence Co., MS, John Abrams.

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1.5.2.1. Abrams b. 1830-1835, MS.

1.5.3. George Dyess (son of Christopher Dyess and Martha Collins) b. 1806, GA, m. 7 Feb 18826, in Lawrence Co., MS, Mary Crump. George died Mineola, TX.

1.5.3.1. Augustus "Gus" Dyess b. June 15, 1827, MS, m. 1850, Cealy Jane Sayre. Augustus died 7 March 1909, Woods Co., TX.

1.5.3.1.1. Wilburn Dyess b. 13 Feb 1851, Catahoula, LA, d. Catahoula, LA.

1.5.3.1.2. John G. Dyess b. 4 January 1854, Winn Parish, LA, m. 22 Nov 1877, in Smith Co., MS, Elizabeth Carroll. John died 1902, New Hope, Wood Co., TX.

1.5.3.1.3. Mary Jane Dyess b. 2 Nov 1855, Winn Parish, LA, m. (1) Gus Richie, m. (2) Ham. Mary died 17 April 1936, Wood Co., TX.

1.5.3.1.4. Lydia Vicina Dyess b. 9 Dec 1857, Jones Co., MS, d. Wood Co., TX.

1.5.3.1.5. Martha E. Dyess b. 1858, Winn Parish, LA, m. (1) Larkin Evans, m. (2) Bill Greer, m. (3) Berryhill. Martha died 1936, Hallsville, Hattison Co., TX.

1.5.3.1.6. Gabrilla A. Dyess b. July 1860, LA, d. Wood Co., TX.

1.5.3.1.7. Venorry Atmis Dyess b. 1 March 1862, Wood Co., TX.

1.5.3.1.8. Louize Dyess b. 4 June 1863, Wood Co., TX, d. 3 March 1904, Wood Co., TX.

1.5.3.1.9. Augustus Washington Dyess b. 1 April 1865, Wood Co., TX, m. Lillian Maude Mosely. Augustus died 29 Aug 1932, Stephens Co., OK.

1.5.3.1.10. Laura Dyess b. 1868, Wood Co., TX, m. Hubbard Moseley.

1.5.3.1.11. Carrie Dyess b. 1871, Wood Co., TX, m. Thomas Chrietzberg. Carrie died 1934, Wood Co., TX.

1.5.3.1.12. James Nolte Dyess b. 16 Aug 1873, Wood Co., TX, m. (1) 24 Jan 1894, Willie Francis Harvey, m. (2) 10 March 1904, Sara Savannah Mansell, m. (3) 18 Aug 1921, Maggie Josephine Laminack. James died 3 Oct 1950, Dallas, TX.

1.5.3.2. George Washington Dyess b. 1831, MS, m. 8 Jan 1852, in Catahoula, LA, Vicena M. Thornton. George died 19 April 1863, New Orleans, LA. Fought in the 28th Grays, Louisiana Infantry Company E, as a Lt at Camp Moore in Monroe, LA. He died as a Prisoner of War from a gunshot wound.

1.5.3.2.1. Mary Jane Polly Dyess b. 16 Nov 1854, LA, m. William T. Abrams. Mary died 8 aug 1926, Hurricane Grove, Winn Parish, LA.

1.5.3.2.2. Georgia Ann Dyess b. 1859, LA, m. Thomas J. Perkins.

1.5.3.2.3. Nancy Dyess b. 28 Feb, Winn Parish, LA, m. James Abrams. Nancy died 14 Feb 1932, Winn Parish, LA.

1.5.3.3. Mary Dyess b. 17 Dec 1835, MS, m. Theophilus Branch. Mary died 12 Aug 1914, Winn Parish, LA.

1.5.3.3.1. William M. Branch b. 1851, Catahoula Parish, LA, m. Lydia A. Grisom. William died 23 Dec 1925, Winn Parish, LA.

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- 1.5.3.3.2. Mary Polly Branch b. March 5, 1854, Winn Parish, LA, m. 28 Sept 1871, Arthur Butler Reed. Mary died 12 Aug 1914.
- 1.5.3.3.3. Martha J. Branch b. 1855, LA, m. Rev. Terrell.
- 1.5.3.3.4. John A. Branch b. 9 Nov 1857, Winn Parish, LA, m. Susan Talbot. John died 27 Apr 1904, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.3.5. Nancy E. Branch b. 28 Dec 1859, Winn Parish, LA, d. 19 Dec 1868, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.3.6. Gabriella A. Branch b. 25 Dec 1860, Winn Parish, LA, m. Lavorn Dow Emmons. Gabriella died 14 Dec 1923, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.3.7. Tennessee Amelia Branch b. 18 Dec 1863, Winn Parish, LA, m. (1) W. J. Hammons, m. (2) 11 Sept 1887, in Winn Parish, LA, James Beauregard Shows. Tennessee died 21 Jan 1919, Jackson Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.3.8. Susan D. Branch b. 1864, Winn Parish, LA, m. Leonard R. Robertson. Susan died 1901, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.3.9. George R. Branch b. 1866, Winn Parish, LA, m. L. A. C. Reed.
- 1.5.3.3.10. Francis Neoma Branch b. 26 Nov 1868, Winn Parish, LA, d. 1 Dec 1868, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.3.11. Infant Branch b. 20 Nov 1875, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.3.12. Stephen Irvin Branch b. 1877, Winn Parish, LA, m. Emma Dark. Stephen died 1900, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.4. Martha Dyess b. 5 August 1838, MS, m. (1) John Russell, m. (2) Bookey G. Adams. Martha died 22 Dec 1916, Winn Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.3.4.1. John W. Russell (son of John Russell and Martha Dyess).
 - 1.5.3.4.2. Newport Adams (son of Bookey G. Adams and Martha Dyess) b. 1854, LA.
- 1.5.3.5. Gabriella Dyess b. 4 Feb 1842, Catahoula Parish, LA, m. Feb 1861, Elisha Pepper. Gabriella died 18 Dec 1920, Winn Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.3.5.1. Sultania Pepper b. 22 July 1861, Winn Parish, LA, d. 28 April 1878, Winn Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.3.5.2. Elisha Pepper, Jr b. 1 Jan 1863, Winn Parish, LA, d. 7 July 1872, Winn Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.3.5.3. George R. Pepper b. 29 Jan 1864, Winn Parish, LA, m. Sarah Ann Emmons. George died 4 July 1947, Winn Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.3.5.4. Zidania Pepper b. 12 March 1868, Winn Parish, LA, d. 2 Feb 1943, Winn Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.3.5.5. Samuel J. Pepper b. 13 March 1868, Winn Parish, LA, m. 14 Aug 1892, in Winn Parish, LA, Mirille Della Campbell. Samuel died 16 June 1950, Winn Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.3.5.6. Mary A. Pepper b. 13 Nov 1871, Winn Parish, LA, m. 14 Jan 1894, J. L. Smith. Mary died 14 July 1925, Winn Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.3.5.7. Zebekiah Pepper b. 1 Feb 1874, Winn Parish, LA, m. 26 Feb 1899, Sarah Rosanne Smith. Zebekiah died 31 March 1965, Winn Parish, LA.

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- 1.5.3.5.8. Martha T. Pepper b. 7 July 1876, Winn Parish, LA, m. 28 Sept 1902, Ruben A. Parker. Martha died 30 Oct 1903, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.5.9. Laura M. Pepper b. 22 May 1879, Winn Parish, LA, m. 6 June 1903, John F. Sikes. Laura died 3 July 1971, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.5.10. Alice Rosie Pepper b. 1884, Winn Parish, LA, m. 12 Sept 1909, Joseph R. Parker. Alice died 1917, Winn Parish, LA.
- 1.5.3.6. Ladonna Dyess b. 1844, Catahoula Parish, LA, m. Larkin Thomas.
- 1.5.3.7. Ella Dyess b. 14 Nov 1849, d. 1849.
- 1.5.3.8. Tennessee Dyess b. 16 Nov 1849, Winn Parish, LA, m. Allick H. Fouse. Tennessee died 23 Dec 1937, Quitman, TX.
 - 1.5.3.8.1. Mary Fouse b. 12 Feb 1868, Wood Co., TX, m. L. D. Mason. Mary died 4 June 1903, Wood Co., TX.
 - 1.5.3.8.2. Minerva Fouse b. 12 Feb 1868, Wood Co., TX, m. 19 Dec 1895, R. F. King. Minerva died 7 Feb 1935, Wood Co., TX.
 - 1.5.3.8.3. Ephriam Fouse b. 1871, Wood Co., TX, m. 6 Dec 1893, T. K. Chambers. Ephriam died Wood Co., TX.
 - 1.5.3.8.4. Ella Fouse b. 1881, Wood Co., TX, m. E. B. Moseley. Ella died 1962, Wood Co., TX.
- 1.5.4. Joshua Dyess (son of Christopher Dyess and Martha Collins) b. 1809, GA, m. 21 May 1826, in Lawrence Co., MS, Salina Hambrick. Joshua died 1851-1852, Natchitoches Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.4.1. James P. Dyess b. 11 June 1827, Rankin Co., MS, m. 4 March 1852, in Bienville Parish, LA, Myra J. Burke. James died 25 April 1860, Bienville Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.4.1.1. James P. Dyess.
 - 1.5.4.1.2. Lucille E. Dyess.
 - 1.5.4.1.3. Joshua C. Dyess b. 1855, LA.
 - 1.5.4.1.4. James Benjamin Dyess b. 1858, LA.
 - 1.5.4.2. Winnie Dyess b. 25 Dec 1828, Rankin Co., MS, m. John James Liles. Winnie died 26 July 1867, Gainesville, LA.
 - 1.5.4.2.1. Martha Liles b. 1852.
 - 1.5.4.2.2. Sam Liles b. 1854.
 - 1.5.4.2.3. James P. Liles b. 1856.
 - 1.5.4.2.4. John James Liles, Jr b. 1858.
 - 1.5.4.2.5. Emaline Liles b. 1860.
 - 1.5.4.2.6. Lissy Liles b. 1862.
 - 1.5.4.2.7. Henry Liles b. 1870.

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- 1.5.4.3. Rachael Dyess b. 1829, Rankin Co., MS.
- 1.5.4.4. George Dyess b. 3 March 1833, Jasper Co., MS, d. 25 Nov 1862, Enterprise, MS. Civil War Service in the 9th Louisiana Infantry Company H. He was a Corporal and died during the war. He was never married.
- 1.5.4.5. Elizabeth Dyess b. 1834, Jasper Co., MS, d. 17 April 1915.
- 1.5.4.6. Mary Polly Dyess b. 1835, Jasper Co., MS.
- 1.5.4.7. John Jackson Dyess b. 1836, Lauderdale Co., MS, m. (1) 28 Aug 1856, in Bienville Parish, LA, Amanda Burke, d. 1857, m. (2) 28 Dec 1858, in Bienville Parish, LA, Amanda Martha Whitlow. In Civil War with the Gray's Confederate Company A, 28th LA Regiment at Monroe, LA.
 - 1.5.4.7.1. Lillie Dyess (daughter of John Jackson Dyess and Amanda Martha Whitlow).
- 1.5.4.8. Henry Dyess b. 10 March 1838, Newton Co., MS, m. 7 Jan 1867, in Bienville Parish, LA, Tabitha Mixon. Henry died 20 March 1919. Civil War service as a Sergeant with the 9th Louisiana Infantry. He was wounded in action and survived with a handicap.
 - 1.5.4.8.1. Rosilia Dyess b. 18 June 1868, DeSota Parish, LA, d. 21 Sept 1875, Caddo Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.4.8.2. Joshua Cornelius Dyess b. 5 Oct 1872, Bienville Parish, LA, m. 15 Sept 1895, in Sabine Parish, LA, Nancy Litton. Joshua died 27 Feb 1965.
 - 1.5.4.8.3. Jim B. Dyess b. 22 Feb 1875, Bienville Parish, LA. Jim B. & John T. moved to Texas.
 - 1.5.4.8.4. John T. Dyess b. 3 Oct 1877, Bienville Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.4.8.5. Henry Lubunia Dyess b. 6 Jan 1879, Bienville Parish, LA, m. 3 Feb 1901, in Sabine Parish, LA, Mary Rosella Graves. Henry died 14 Dec 1963. Called "Uncle Booney".
 - 1.5.4.8.6. Edwin Bunion Dyess b. 17 Apr 1882, Bienville Parish, LA, m. (1) 26 Sept 1909, in Jonesboro, LA, Mattie Jones, m. (2) 22 Oct 1928, Bella Brandon. Edwin died 4 March 1937, Pleasant Hill, Sabine Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.4.8.7. Grover Cleveland Dyess b. 27 August 1885, Pleasant Hill, Sabine Parish, LA, m. 26 March 1905, in Sabine Parish, LA, Allie Iona Oliff. Grover died 25 Feb 1973, Florien, LA.
 - 1.5.4.8.8. Lela Beatrice Dyess b. 27 March 1887, Bienville Parish, LA, m. 23 Aug 1903, William Joseph Bud Graves. Lela died 20 March 1919, Sabine Parish, LA.
 - 1.5.4.8.9. Seneth Mae Dyess b. 15 Nov 1890, Bienville Parish, LA, m. Steve Loftin. Seneth died 8 Aug 1975.
- 1.5.4.9. Thomas Dyess b. 1841, Jasper Co., MS, d. 25 Nov 1861. Thomas served as a Private in the 9th Louisiana Infantry, company H. He died of pneumonia at Camp Florida during the war. He never married.
- 1.5.4.10. Joshua Dyess b. 1842, Clarke Co., MS, d. 1886, Sabine Parish, LA. Was in Civil War with the 28th Grays Louisiana Infantry. A Private, he was captured and paroled 15 June 1865. He never married.
- 1.5.4.11. Ely Dyess b. 1845, Jasper Co., MS, d. 5 May 1864, Va. Served as a Private in the 9th Louisiana Infantry Company H. in the Civil War. Died in the Battle of the wilderness 1864.

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- 1.5.5. Winnie Dyess (daughter of Christopher Dyess and Martha Collins) b. 1813, m. Joseph Cooper.
 - 1.5.5.1. Christopher Cooper m. Bethany.
 - 1.5.5.2. George Cooper.
 - 1.5.5.3. Emily Cooper m. David Self.
 - 1.5.5.4. Rachael Cooper.
 - 1.5.5.5. Winnie Cooper m. 1 Feb 1857, in Navarro Co., TX, Tilford Self.
 - 1.5.5.6. Cornelius Cooper.
 - 1.5.5.7. Reubin Cooper m. 3 Nov 1880, in Freestone Co., TX, Sallie Nettles.
 - 1.5.5.8. Joseph Cooper..
 - 1.5.5.9. Jonathan Cooper b. 1 Oct 1833, MS, m. 10 July 1860, Margaret Tisdale. Jonathan died 28 Feb 1883, Freestone Co., TX.
 - 1.5.5.9.1. Mary Alice Cooper b. 16 Oct 1861, Hamilton Co., TX, m. 3 Jan 1883, A. C. Harris. Mary died 3 March 1934.
 - 1.5.5.9.2. Winnie Cooper b. 5 Jan 1866, Hamilton Co., TX, m. Francis A. Coleman. Winnie died 14 March 1934.
 - 1.5.5.9.3. William Joseph Cooper b. 10 April 1867, Freestone Co., TX, d. 18 Jan 1869.
 - 1.5.5.9.4. Georgia Cooper b. 15 January 1870, Freestone Co., TX, d. 25 Aug 1873.
 - 1.5.5.9.5. Emily Emma Cooper b. 27 Jan 1872, Freestone Co., TX, m. 26 June 1910, Sterling Sims. Emily died 5 Nov 1952.
 - 1.5.5.9.6. James Cooper b. 26 April 1874, Freestone Co., TX, m. (1) 1 Nov 1899, Ethel Elizabeth "Lizzie" Elkins, m. (2) 8 Nov 1908, in Navarro Co., TX, Etta Mae Gilbert. James died 11 Dec 1941, Freestone Co., TX.
 - 1.5.5.9.7. Jonathan R. Cooper b. 26 April 1874, Freestone Co., TX, m. Nannie McDaniel. Jonathan died 3 June 1932, Freestone Co., TX.
 - 1.5.5.9.8. Esther Caroline Cooper b. 22 Jan 1877, Freestone Co., TX, m. E. J. Hood. Esther died 3 August 1964, Freestone Co., TX.
 - 1.5.5.10. James Cooper b. 23 August 1835, MS, m. 22 Feb 1862, in Freestone Co., TX, Julia Ann Hill. James died 3 Feb 1883, Freestone Co., TX.
 - 1.5.5.11. Thomas Cooper b. July 1850, MS.
- 1.5.6. Thomas Dyess (son of Christopher Dyess and Martha Collins) b. 1821, MS, m. Elizabeth "Betsey". Thomas died 20 Aug 1877, Clarke Co., MS.
 - 1.5.6.1. Emily Dyess.
 - 1.5.6.2. Joshua A. Dyess b. 1841, MS.
- 1.5.7. Violator Dyess (daughter of Christopher Dyess and Martha Patsy Cooper Thames) b. 1824, MS, m. John Goodson.

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- 1.5.7.1. Thehsey Goodson b. 4 Nov 1847, TX.
- 1.5.7.2. John Goodson b. 1849, TX.
- 1.5.7.3. Elizabeth Goodson b. 1852, TX.
- 1.5.7.4. Thomas Goodson b. 1858, TX.
- 1.5.7.5. Christopher Dyess Goodson b. 2 March 1860, TX.
- 1.5.7.6. Martha Goodson b. 20 Oct 1862, TX.
- 1.5.7.7. James Goodson b. 1867, TX.
- 1.6. George W. Dyess b. 1780, Barnwell Co., SC, m. Elizabeth Everett. George died 1840-1845, Stewart Co., GA.
 - 1.6.1. Elizabeth Loftin Dyess b. 4 Aug 1810, GA, m. J. A. Carter.
 - 1.6.2. Violator Beasley Dyess b. 4 Aug 1810, GA, m. 5 Feb 1829, in Bibb Co., GA, Joshua H. Carter. Violator died 30 Sept 1878.
 - 1.6.3. Thomas D. Dyess b. 1812, GA, m. 10 Nov 1836, in Stewart Co., GA, Nancy Jenkins.
 - 1.6.3.1. Edmond B. Dyess b. 12 June 1837, GA, m. 1860, Margaret Mathis. Edmond died 30 June 1912, Hinston, LA. Was in the Civil War.
 - 1.6.3.1.1. America Dyess b. 1862, Jones Co., MS.
 - 1.6.3.1.2. Emma E. Dyess b. 1864, Jones Co., MS, m. Albert Wilson.
 - 1.6.3.1.3. Andrew Jackson Dyess b. 1869, Rapides Parish, LA.
 - 1.6.3.1.4. James Edward Dyess b. 11 Jan 1874, Vernon Parish, LA, m. (1) Margaret Davis, m. (2) Rachael Bounds.
 - 1.6.3.1.5. Lucy Dyess b. 1876, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 5 July 1898, Willie Holt.
 - 1.6.3.1.6. Joseph B. Josie Dyess b. 2 May 1877, Rapides Parish, LA, m. Sarah Matilda Smith. Joseph died 22 May 1965, Gardner, LA.
 - 1.6.3.1.7. Mary Dyess b. 29 June 1878, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 17 Dec 1895, in Rapides Parish, LA, John Singletary.
 - 1.6.3.1.8. LaJene Dyess b. 1879, Rapides Parish, LA, d. 1880, Rapides Parish, LA.
 - 1.6.3.2. Mary Elizabeth Dyess b. 1839, GA, d. 1892.
 - 1.6.3.3. John George Dyess b. 1841, GA, m. 1868, Mary Ann McGilvary. John died 19 June 1898.
 - 1.6.3.3.1. Melinda Rose Dyess b. 18 March 1870, Rapides Parish, LA, m. Baker Sellers. Melinda died 20 March 1949, McKinney, TX.
 - 1.6.3.3.2. Martha Jane Mattie Dyess b. 8 Oct 1873, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 5 Jan 1895, Theodore Bristow.
 - 1.6.3.3.3. Mary Elizabeth Betty Dyess b. 5 Sept 1874, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 17 July 1899, in Waco, TX, William Devotion Jones. Mary died 11 June 1910.

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- 1.6.3.3.4. Albert Christopher Dyess b. 20 Oct 1876, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 6 Oct 1912, Pearl Shirley.
- 1.6.3.3.5. William Ed Dyess b. 22 Oct 1877, Rapides Parish, LA, d. 1877.
- 1.6.3.3.6. Sarah Diane Dyess b. 11 Nov 1879, Rapides Parish, LA, d. 1879.
- 1.6.3.3.7. Delphia Jane Dyess b. 10 Oct 1881, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 21 July 1901, O. L. Jones.
- 1.6.3.3.8. Angie Lena Dyess b. 26 August 1883, Rapides Parish, LA, m. Eli Hammer.
- 1.6.3.3.9. Richard Thomas Dyess b. 20 Jan 1886, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 8 June 1915, Hallie A. Graham. Richard died 18 Feb 1968.
- 1.6.3.3.10. Sarah Ann Dyess b. 11 June 1888, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 28 Nov 1909, Early A. Calhoun.
- 1.6.3.3.11. Male Dyess b. 6 June 1889.
- 1.6.3.3.12. Hattie Lee Dyess b. 6 June 1889, Rapides Parish, LA.
- 1.6.3.4. Sara Ann Dyess b. 4 Feb 1844, GA, m. 8 Nov 1866, in Covington Co., MS, William Sanford Braddy. Sara died 19 June 1898, Elmer, LA.
 - 1.6.3.4.1. Nancy Braddy b. 29 Sept 1867, Jones Co., MS, m. 13 Sept 1888, in Leesville, Vernon Parish, LA, Thomas Jefferson Braddy. Nancy died 1904, Vernon Parish, LA.
 - 1.6.3.4.2. Betty Braddy b. 1869, Jones Co., MS, m. Benjamin Franklin Davis.
 - 1.6.3.4.3. Thomas Charles Braddy b. 18 May 1872, Rapides Parish, LA, m. Hattie Catherine Smith. Thomas died 29 Nov 1912, Calcasieu, LA.
 - 1.6.3.4.4. James Franklin Braddy b. 13 April 1874, Rapides Parish, LA, m. Arcota Mixon. James died 2 Feb 1929, Calcasieu, LA.
 - 1.6.3.4.5. B. Peter Braddy b. 10 Oct 1875, Rapides Parish, LA, m. Octavia Mixon. B. Peter died 14 March 1903.
 - 1.6.3.4.6. Martha Lee Braddy b. 9 Oct 1877, Rapides Parish, LA, m. Wyatt Eugene Kemp.
 - 1.6.3.4.7. William Sanford Braddy b. 8 Nov 1879, Rapides Parish, LA, d. 19 July 1880, Rapides Parish, LA.
 - 1.6.3.4.8. Pickens B. Braddy b. 1 Jul 1881, Rapides Parish, LA, d. 15 July 1884, Rapides Parish, LA.
 - 1.6.3.4.9. Polly Braddy b. 6 July 1883, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 3 Jan 1903, David Editor Bonnette. Polly died 22 Aug 1952, Beaumont, TX.
 - 1.6.3.4.10. Edward Braddy b. 27 April 1887, Rapides Parish, LA.
- 1.6.3.5. Violator Dyess b. 1846, GA.
- 1.6.3.6. James Dyess b. 1848, GA.
- 1.6.3.7. William Dyess b. 1851, MS.

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- 1.6.3.8. Lydia Ann Dyess b. 1853, MS, m. (1) Mayo West, m. (2) 1875, in JONES CO., MS, James Crosby.
 - 1.6.3.8.1. John Robert Crosby (son of James Crosby and Lydia Ann Dyess) b. 14 August 1876, Rapides Parish, LA, m. 1897, Jeannie Ann McCullough.
 - 1.6.3.8.2. Thomas Jefferson Crosby (son of James Crosby and Lydia Ann Dyess) b. 18 Dec 1878, Rapides Parish, LA, m. Viola Williams. Thomas died 9 Oct 1948.
 - 1.6.3.8.3. Cynthia Ellen Crosby (daughter of James Crosby and Lydia Ann Dyess) b. 1880, Rapides Parish, LA, m. Henry Fletcher.
- 1.6.3.9. Thomas Zephreniah Dyess b. 17 Sept 1855, Jones Co., MS, m. 1879, Sabra Ellen Wilson. Thomas died 31 Jan 1898, Vernon Parish, LA.
 - 1.6.3.9.1. Thomas Francis Dyess b. 25 Oct 1880, Vernon Parish, LA, m. 1907, Ninnie Legg.
 - 1.6.3.9.2. Sarah Caroline Dyess b. 15 Jan 1882, d. 1882, buried: Mt. Moriah Cemetery, Vernon Parish, LA.
 - 1.6.3.9.3. William Edward Dyess b. 11 Sept 1883, m. 26 April 1915, Mabel Doherty. William died 25 Dec 1966, Cora, LA.
 - 1.6.3.9.4. Nancy Matilda Dyess b. 28 Jan 1885, m. 1907, James F. "Jim" Gypins. Nancy died 1 March 1965, Enterprise, TX.
 - 1.6.3.9.5. James Seaborn Dyess b. 28 Feb 1887, Vernon Parish, LA, m. 10 Oct 1917, Frances Eudell Cofty. James died 19 May 1964, Beaumont, TX.
 - 1.6.3.9.6. Lydia Ann Dyess b. 28 Oct 1888, Vernon Parish, LA, m. William Furman Baggett. Lydia died 19 Nov 1961, Beaumont, TX.
 - 1.6.3.9.7. Lucy Jane Dyess b. 27 April 1890, Vernon Parish, LA, m. (1) in Vernon Parish, LA, William Robert Martin, m. (2) 1936, John R. Plake. Lucy died 13 Feb 1970, Beaumont, TX.
 - 1.6.3.9.8. Lucilla Belle Dyess b. 20 Dec 1891, Cora, LA, m. 1912, Louis Goldberg Brown. Lucilla died January 1919, Oakdale, LA.
 - 1.6.3.9.9. John Jefferson Dyess b. 24 Feb 1893, Vernon Parish, LA, m. (1) Henrietta Berry, m. (2) 29 May 1916, Fannie Haley. John died 3 Feb 1959, TX.
 - 1.6.3.9.10. Drucilla Gertrude Dyess b. 1 Jan 1895, Vernon Parish, LA, m. August 1916, in Rapides Parish, LA, Leacel El Dancer. Drucilla died 13 July 1939, Beaumont, TX.
 - 1.6.3.9.11. Betty Virginia Dyess b. 12 Nov 1897, Vernon Parish, LA, m. William Thomas George.
- 1.6.3.10. M. C. Dyess b. 1858, Jones Co., MS, d. 1868, TX.
- 1.6.3.11. Alvery G. Dyess b. 1860, Jones Co., MS, d. 1868, TX.
- 1.6.4. George W. Dyess b. 1817, GA, m. (1) 5 Nov 1835, in Stewart Co., GA, Caroline Horton, m. (2) 1864, in Clarke Co., MS, Barbara Jane Bigsby.
 - 1.6.4.1. Thomas Dyess (son of George W. Dyess and Caroline Horton) b. 1839, GA.
 - 1.6.4.2. Sarah Dyess (daughter of George W. Dyess and Caroline Horton) b. 1842, GA.

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- 1.6.4.3. William Dyess (son of George W. Dyess and Caroline Horton) b. 1844, GA.
- 1.6.4.4. Benjamin Dyess (son of George W. Dyess and Caroline Horton) b. 1847, GA, m. 29 Aug 1874, in Rankin Co., GA, Georgia McDonald. Benjamin died 15 July 1923, Sabine Parish, LA.
- 1.6.4.5. John Q. Dyess (son of George W. Dyess and Barbara Jane Bigsby) b. 1865, MS.
- 1.6.4.6. Ezekiel Z. Dyess (son of George W. Dyess and Barbara Jane Bigsby) b. 1867, MS, m. 27 June 1895, in Rankin Co., MS, Annie Anderson.
 - 1.6.4.6.1. Huey S. Dyess m. Mary Honeycutt.
- 1.6.5. William Christopher Dyess b. 21 April 1819, GA, m. 1 May 1845, in Stewart Co., GA, Martha Crocker. William died 31 July 1885, Waynesboro, MS.
 - 1.6.5.1. Eliza Dyess m. Buddy McIlwain.
 - 1.6.5.2. Theodore Dyess m. 14 Jan 1890, in Wayne Co., MS, Virginia Wilkins.
 - 1.6.5.2.1. Minnie Dyess m. U. F. Keating.
 - 1.6.5.2.2. Ada Dyess m. Rudy Jenkins.
 - 1.6.5.2.3. Clara Dyess.
 - 1.6.5.2.4. Gertrude Dyess.
 - 1.6.5.2.5. Ollie Dyess m. S. M. Foster.
 - 1.6.5.2.6. Eunice Dyess.
 - 1.6.5.2.7. William P. Dyess.
 - 1.6.5.2.8. Ezekiel B. Dyess.
 - 1.6.5.3. George Aquiller Dyess b. 1846.
 - 1.6.5.4. William Christopher Columbus Dyess b. 10 Sept 1847, GA, m. Artimissa Vivian Williams. William died 26 Aug 1906, MS.
 - 1.6.5.4.1. William Cicero Dyess b. 7 Sept 1869, MS, m. 3 Feb 1890, in Wayne Co., MS, Sarah Frances Gandy. William died 21 Dec 1923.
 - 1.6.5.4.2. James Leonard Dyess b. 28 Oct 1872, MS, m. 22 Jan 1901, in Wayne Co., MS, Alice Flora McRae. James died 4 June 1960, Waynesboro, MS.
 - 1.6.5.4.3. Erasmus H. Dyess b. 17 Feb 1876, MS, m. 29 Nov 1897, in Wayne Co., MS, Susan Rebecca Gandy. Erasmus died 26 Jan 1964, Wayne Co., MS.
 - 1.6.5.4.4. Elora Dyess b. 18 Jan 1878, MS, m. 29 Nov 1897, in Wayne Co., MS, Charlie J. O'Wynn. Elora died 12 Aug 1900, MS.
 - 1.6.5.4.5. Benjamin Elijah Dyess b. 30 March 1880, Waynesboro, MS, m. 4 Dec 1910, in Wayne Co., MS, Dura Idell Cooper. Benjamin died 14 Sept 1960, Waynesboro.
 - 1.6.5.4.6. Robert Dyess b. 2 Feb 1882, MS, m. Thelma Pettus. Robert died 1 Aug 1943.
 - 1.6.5.4.7. George Cleveland Dyess b. 24 July 1884, Wayne Co., MS, m. 17 Jan 1918, in Wayne Co., MS, Lilly Bell Wilkins. George died May 7, 1944.

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- 1.6.5.4.8. Mathew Leon Dyess b. 2 Dec 1886, Wayne Co., MS, m. 9 Dec 1922, in Jones Co. MS, Ruby Barnett. Mathew died 12 Jan 1965.
- 1.6.5.4.9. John Wesley Dyess b. 17 July 1889, Wayne Co., MS, m. 1913, in Wayne Co., MS, Hattie Alma Wilkins. John died 7 May 1966, Wayne Co., MS.
- 1.6.5.4.10. Edward L. Dyess b. 1 March 1891, MS, m. Cora Davis. Edward died 17 July 1954.
- 1.6.5.4.11. Anna M. Dyess b. May 1892, MS, m. Charlie McCoy.
- 1.6.5.4.12. William Grate Dyess b. 10 Aug 1894, d. 5 Oct 1897.
- 1.6.5.5. Elizabeth Lizza Dyess b. 1849, m. (1) Louie Bezard, m. (2) Mart Whitney.
 - 1.6.5.5.1. Anna Bezard (daughter of Louie Bezard and Elizabeth Lizza Dyess) m. John Wilson.
 - 1.6.5.5.2. Homer Henry Whitney (son of Mart Whitney and Elizabeth Lizza Dyess) m. Cora McRae.
 - 1.6.5.5.3. William Sheldon Whitney (son of Mart Whitney and Elizabeth Lizza Dyess) b. 7 July 1872, m. Belle Zora McIlwain. William died 4 Aug 1956.
 - 1.6.5.5.4. Margie Estelle Whitney (daughter of Mart Whitney and Elizabeth Lizza Dyess) b. 18 June 1877, m. Noel R. Gandy.
 - 1.6.5.5.5. Swepson T. Whitney (son of Mart Whitney and Elizabeth Lizza Dyess) b. 2 May 1883, m. Mary S. Gilbert. Swepson died 5 Aug 1974.
- 1.6.5.6. James Monroe Dyess b. 1854, m. (1) Amanda Louisa "Mandy" Bright, m. (2) Tila Bagent. James died 1928.
 - 1.6.5.6.1. Victoria Dyess (daughter of James Monroe Dyess and Amanda Louisa "Mandy" Bright) m. 18 Dec 1899, in Wayne Co., MS, Jim Murray.
 - 1.6.5.6.2. Athro-Elizabeth Dyess (daughter of James Monroe Dyess and Amanda Louisa "Mandy" Bright) b. Feb 1871, m. John Thomas Baygents. Athro died 8 July 1916.
 - 1.6.5.6.3. William Hugh Dyess (son of James Monroe Dyess and Amanda Louisa "Mandy" Bright) b. 9 May 1874, AL, m. 16 March 1896, in Wayne Co., MS, Eudocia Decia Baygents.
 - 1.6.5.6.4. Martha Louise Dyess b. 2 Nov 1881, m. 7 Feb 1895, in Wayne Co., MS, John Lafayette "Fate" Dyess, b. 14 Jan 1866, (son of Cicero Franklin Dyess and Mary J. McCall) d. 28 Feb 1945. Martha died March 1959.
 - 1.6.5.6.5. Emanuel Dyess (son of James Monroe Dyess and Amanda Louisa "Mandy" Bright) b. 1882, m. Estelle Dunn.
- 1.6.5.7. Frances Frank Dyess b. July 1855, AL, m. Elizabeth McRae.
 - 1.6.5.7.1. William Clooney Dyess b. Nov 1877, Waynesboro, MS, m. 13 Oct 1901, in Wayne Co., MS, Sarah Alice McIlwain.
 - 1.6.5.7.2. Ida Dyess b. Jan 1879, MS, m. Hamp Richey.
 - 1.6.5.7.3. Walter Dyess b. Oct 1880, MS, m. Aline Morris.
 - 1.6.5.7.4. Martha A. Nanny Dyess b. Oct 1882, MS.

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- 1.6.5.7.5. Blanche O. Dyess b. Jan 1884, MS, m. Leo B. Giddy.
- 1.6.5.7.6. Frank Ernest Dyess b. April 1886, MS, m. Alene Mims.
- 1.6.5.7.7. Lula Dyess b. Jan 1888, MS, m. Henry McBride.
- 1.6.5.7.8. Mack Gowan Dyess b. 1890, MS.
- 1.6.5.8. Arthrie Dyess b. 5 May 1858, m. 1890, Abijah Hamilton Gandy. Arthrie died 10 Jan 1936.
 - 1.6.5.8.1. Horace Gandy m. Edna Giles.
 - 1.6.5.8.2. Azaline Gandy m. Willie Jones.
 - 1.6.5.8.3. Lavada Gandy m. Stanton Giles.
 - 1.6.5.8.4. Bertha Gandy.
- 1.6.5.9. Martha Dyess b. 1860.
- 1.6.6. Winfield Scott Dyess b. 1825, GA, m. Caroline Emeline Strickland. Winfield died 7 Oct 1884.
 - 1.6.6.1. George Dyess b. 1845, Stewart Co., GA.
 - 1.6.6.2. Sampson Taylor Dyess b. 1847, Stewart Co., GA, m. Samantha Bright. Sampson died 9 Aug 1928, AL.
 - 1.6.6.3. Nancy Elizabeth Dyess b. 1849, Stewart Co., GA, m. 6 Nov 1877, in Baldwin Co., AL, William Lumpkin Wright.
 - 1.6.6.3.1. Irene Wright b. 29 Feb 1880, Butler Co., AL.
 - 1.6.6.3.2. Seth Wright b. 21 Jan 1883, Butler Co., AL.
 - 1.6.6.3.3. John Lonza Wright b. 12 May 1885, Butler Co., AL.
 - 1.6.6.4. Gatsy Missouri Dyess b. 17 March 1851, Coffee Co., AL, m. John Henry Stanford.
 - 1.6.6.5. Violatha Beasley Dyess b. 1853, Coffee Co., AL, m. Calvin J. Rhodes.
 - 1.6.6.6. David Frank Dyess b. 24 Feb 1854, Coffee Co., AL, m. Mary Melissa Matheny. David died 24 July 1924, Lenox, AL.
 - 1.6.6.7. Winfield Scott Dyess b. 4 Nov 1855, Coffee Co., AL, m. 1875, in Butler, AL, Eliza Jane Hobbs. Winfield died 1921, Baldwin Co., AL.
 - 1.6.6.8. Timmy Dyess b. 1862.
 - 1.6.6.9. Sally Dyess b. 1864.
 - 1.6.6.10. Joseph Sinton Dyess b. 1867, d. 1930.
- 1.6.7. John H. Dyess b. 15 March 1827, GA, m. (1) Jane Carter, m. (2) 25 Sept 1856, in Randolph Co., GA, Matilda Carter. John died 1863.
- 1.6.8. Sarah Ann Dyess b. 1829, GA, m. 7 July 1842, in Stewart Co., GA, Issac McGrady.

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Adams, Hiram H.	27	Blount, Martha Esther	2	Burke, Myra J.	30
Adams, Mollie Poulter	25	Bonnette, David Editor	34	Burkes	15
Adams, Newport	29	Bounds, Rachael	33	Byles, Henry	25
Adams, Sadie	12	Boyet, William	17	Calhoun, Early A.	34
Adams, Tom	10	Boyet, Winnifred	17	Callahan, Volney	26
Adams, William D.	22	Boyles, Billy, Jr.	8	Campbell, Alfred W.	22
Adkins, E. Ank	22	Boyles, Bill	8	Campbell, J. L.	22
Agee, Susan	21	Boyles, Gwendolyn	8	Campbell, Mirille Della	29
Albritton, Richard	9	Bozeman, Fred	12	Carden, Angeline	10
Albritton, Sarah	9	Bozeman, Willie Pearl	12	Carden, Clara	10
Allen, J. D.	9	Bracken, Maude Mae	2	Carden, Frank	10
Almond, Lillie Mae	26	Braddy, B. Peter	34	Carden, John W.	10
Anders, Will	25	Braddy, Betty	34	Carden, Lela	10
Anderson, Annie	36	Braddy, Edward	34	Carden, Maggie	10
Anderson, Sara	16	Braddy, James Franklin	34	Carden, Minnie	10
Arey, Joyce	16	Braddy, Martha Lee	34	Carden, Tom	10
Armstrong, Garland L.	11	Braddy, Nancy	34	Carden, Willis	10
Atwood, Cammie Jean	4	Braddy, Pickens B.	34	Carroll, Elizabeth	28
Atwood, Cammy Keano	4	Braddy, Polly	34	Carter, J. A.	33
Bagent, Tila	37	Braddy, Thomas Charles	34	Carter, Jane	38
Baggett, William Furman	35	Braddy, Thomas Jefferson	34	Carter, Joshua H.	33
Barnett, Ruby	37	Braddy, William Sanford	34	Carter, Matilda	38
Baronich, Josephine	4	Braddy, William Sanford	34	Carter, Robert	12
Bass, Franklin Leroy	15	Brady, Susan Catherine	3	Catchot, Michael Shane	5
Bass, Hattie	2	Branch, Francis Neoma	29	Chambers, T. K.	30
Bass, Martha Eudora "Mattie"	2	Branch, Gabriella A.	29	Chance, Billy	15
Bass, Millie	14	Branch, George R.	29	Chrietzberg, Thomas	28
Bass, Parentia	11	Branch, Infant	29	Clark, Eliza Grace	22
Bass, Pasha	10	Branch, John A.	29	Cochran, Elizabeth Tempe	16
Bass, Sarah Christine	15	Branch, Martha J.	29	Cochran, Mary Ann	2
Baygents, Eudocia Decia	37	Branch, Mary Polly	29	Cofy, Frances Eudell	35
Baygents, John Thomas	37	Branch, Nancy E.	29	Cole, Ordna	2
Bell, Susan	25	Branch, Stephen Irvin	29	Coleman, Francis A.	32
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Bentley, Eliza	1	Branch, Theophilus	28	Comans, Martis Lavelle	4
Bentley, Francis	1	Branch, William M.	28	Comans, Sherry Lee	4
Bentley, James	1	Brandon, Bella	31	Cook, Mollye	10
Berry, Henrietta	35	Bright, Amanda Louisa	37	Cooley, James M.	18
Berry, Mattie Mae	2	Bright, Samantha	38	Cooper, Christopher	32
Berryhill	28	Bristow, Theodore	33	Cooper, Cornelius	32
Bethany	32	Broome, Bessie Carlene	7	Cooper, Dura Idell	36
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Bishop, Lois Mildred	17	Browden, Emeline	23	Cooper, Georgia	32
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Cooper, Rachael	32	Duncan, Debra Elizabeth	4	Dyess, Andrew Jackson	33
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Cooper, Winnie	32	Duncan, Nita Loraine	4	Dyess, Annie Roberta	14
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Crout, Burtis Evelyn	5	Dunn, Estelle	37	Dyess, Avie Lutisha	11
Crout, Connie	6	Dunn, Frank	9	Dyess, Benjamin Cicero	25
Crout, Herman Louis	6	Dunn, Henry G.	8	Dyess, Benjamin E.	20
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Crout, J. Vincent	6	Dunn, Jessie F.	9	Dyess, Benjamin James Barclay	25
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Crout, Joseph Bernard	6	Dunn, John	8	Dyess, Bessie Mildred	11
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Crout, Valerie A.	6	Dunn, Patience Elizabeth "	9	Dyess, Buford Larkin	2
Crum, Rebecca	20	Dunn, Robert L.	9	Dyess, Buford Webb	2
Crump, Mary	28	Dunn, Rubie A.	8	Dyess, Burtin R.	27
Dancer, Leacel El	35	Dunn, Sarah Theodosia	2	Dyess, C. A.	27
Daniels, Ted	25	Dunn, William B.	9	Dyess, Calvin Monroe	2
Dark, Emma	29	Dunn, William H. "Pat"	9	Dyess, Caroline	1
Davis, Benjamin Franklin	34	Dunn, William Henry	2	Dyess, Caroline	20
Davis, Cora	37	Dunn, William	2	Dyess, Carrie	28
Davis, Ed	12	Durrance, Alma Caroline	18	Dyess, Carsie	12
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Davis, George	12	Durrance, Joseph Lemuel	18	Dyess, Charlie Ivan	14
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Davis, Margaret	33	Dyess, Aaron	20	Dyess, Christopher A.	24
Dear, Emily	26	Dyess, Abraham	16	Dyess, Christopher Rankin	26, 27
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Dyess, Elora	36	Dyess, Huey S.	36	Dyess, John Wesley	37
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Dyess, Ethel Oneida	14	Dyess, James Edward	33	Dyess, Jonathan Cicero	26
Dyess, Eugenia	27	Dyess, James Franklin	13	Dyess, Jonathan Jackson	26
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Dyess, Franklin M.	9	Dyess, James P.	30	Dyess, Joshua	30
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Dyess, Gatsy Missouri	38	Dyess, James	16	Dyess, Julia	27
Dyess, George Aquiller	21	Dyess, James	23	Dyess, Katherine	20
Dyess, George Aquiller	36	Dyess, James	34	Dyess, Katie Bell	13
Dyess, George Cleveland	36	Dyess, Jane	27	Dyess, Katie Lee	13
Dyess, George Cooper	20	Dyess, Jasper	1	Dyess, Kermit Edwin	14
Dyess, George G.	24	Dyess, Jasper	2	Dyess, Ladonna	30
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Dyess, Lloyd	15	Dyess, Mary	21	Dyess, Robert Gaston	2
Dyess, Loanza	21	Dyess, Mary	23	Dyess, Robert Wilburn	15
Dyess, Louise	28	Dyess, Mary	25	Dyess, Robert Wilburn	15
Dyess, Lucilla Belle	35	Dyess, Mary	27	Dyess, Robert	17
Dyess, Lucille E.	30	Dyess, Mary	28	Dyess, Robert	36
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Dyess, Lucy Jane	35	Dyess, Mathew Leon	37	Dyess, Rosa Lee	20
Dyess, Lucy Pamela	23	Dyess, Mattie Idell	14	Dyess, Rosilia	31
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Dyess, Lula	38	Dyess, Minnie	2	Dyess, Ruth Mae	11
Dyess, Lurena	21	Dyess, Minnie	36	Dyess, Sabra	21
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Dyess, M. C.	35	Dyess, Moses	19	Dyess, Sampson Taylor	38
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Dyess, Male	34	Dyess, Myrtle Mae	14	Dyess, Sarah (Sally)	2
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Dyess, Margaret Ann Smantha	19	Dyess, Nancy A.	25	Dyess, Sarah Ann	16
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Dyess, Martha	10	Dyess, Nettie	10	Dyess, Stephanie	16
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Dyess, Mary Ann	22	Dyess, Ossie Odell	11	Dyess, Theodore	36
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Dyess, Thomas	31	Dyess, William	36	Frownfelter, John Julian	4
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Dyess, Thomas	35	Dyess, Willis Mike	14	Fryer, Ricky	8
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Dyess, William Cooper	20	Ennis, John	3	Gillen, Scott	19
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Dyess, William Penn	1	Fletcher, Henry	35	Gordon, Rebecca	26, 27
Dyess, William R.	2	Flint, Callie	22	Gordon	27
Dyess, William Thomas	24	Floyd, Rebecca	21	Gore, Toxie Hall	11
Dyess, William Thomas	26	Ford, Roy	15	Graham, Hallie A.	34
Dyess, William	1	Foster, S. M.	36	Granberry, Mary Ann	24

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Graves, Betty Lou	15	Horton, Caroline	35, 36	Little, Pete	10
Graves, Jasper	14	Horton, Ross	4	Litton, Nancy	31
Graves, Mary Rosella	31	Hudson, Susan Walker	16	Llteras, Danny Serafin	3
Graves, William Joseph Bud	31	Hughes, Charles B.	27	Loanza	21
Grayson, Lorraine	15	Hunt, Rachael	23	Loften, Steve	31
Green, Ephern	15	Jeffords, Simon	21	Lofton, Bessie Charlotte "	5
Green, John	21, 23	Jenkins, Claude	15	Lofton, Delilah "Dillie"	3
Green, Mary	23	Jenkins, Ira	11	Lofton, George W.	2
Green	21	Jenkins, Mattie	11	Lofton, John Thomas	8
Greer, Bill	28	Jenkins, Nancy	33	Lofton, Linnie Aline	8
Grisom, Lydia A.	28	Jenkins, Rudy	36	Lofton, Maggie Lorena	3, 4, 5
Grissett, John	17	Jenkins, William Douglas	15	Lofton, Mary Ann "Mamie"	3
Guest, James	21	Jinks, Lillie Belle	14	Lofton, Patience Elizabeth	8
Gypins, James F. "Jim"	35	Johns, Silas Newton	22	Lofton, Van Leer	2
Haddox, James Clyde	14	Johnson, Benjamin Franklin	23	Lofton, William Henrietta	7
Haley, Fannie	35	Johnson, Lula	2	Logan, Cecil Alexander	3
Hambrick, Salina	30	Jones, Mattie	31	Logan, Cheryl Elaine	4
Hammer, Eli	34	Jones, O. L.	34	Logan, Donald Neilson	3
Hammond, Henry	24	Jones, Virgil	15	Logan, Donald Neilson	4
Hammons, W. J.	29	Jones, William Devotion	33	Logan, Lucien Bonaparte	3
Ham	28	Jones, Willie	38	Logan, Wanda Elaine	3
Hansen, Marlene Carolyn	13	Jordon, Olive	21	Loper, Caroline	17
Harnage, Jacob	18	Jordon, Randall	21	Lott, Sarah	2
Harrel, Freda Rose	14	Joseph Cooper	32	Lott, W. H.	27
Harris, A. C.	32	Keating, U. F.	36	Louis, Zell	11
Harris, Fannie	19	Kelly, Missouri	24	Lowe, Abasie Julian	3, 4
Harris, Martha	19	Kelly	25	Lowe, Daniel W.	3
Hartung, Beth Ann	3	Kemp, Wyatt Eugene	34	Lowe, Esther Evelyn	3
Harvey, Willie Francis	28	Keyes, Cynthia Ann	7	Lowe, Lorine	4
Henderson, David A.	17	Keziah	20	Lowe, Mary Aline	4
Henderson, David, Jr	17	King, Harriet	1	Lowe, Maude	3
Henderson, David	18	King, Jim (Hagen)	1	Lowe, Ruby	4
Henderson, Edwin W.	17	King, Jonah	2	MacMurtrie	3
Henderson, Elizabeth	18	King, Lawrence	1	Mansell, Sara Savannah	28
Henderson, John	18	King, Pasha	9	Martha	1
Henderson, Lewis	18	King, Pasha	12	Martha	18
Henderson, Martha	18	King, R. F.	30	Martha	27
Henderson, Mary Francis "	17	Kline, Kitty	1	Martin, Della Ree	12
Henderson, Mirah Grissett	17	Knawles, Sally "Sarah" Rosena	1	Martin, James Harlon	15
Henderson, Samuel Taylor	17	Kyzer, Daice	13	Martin, William Robert	35
Henderson, Samuel	18	Laminack, Maggie Josephine	28	Mary	17
Henderson, Susanah	18	Langford, Joseph Madison	18	Mary	27
Henderson, Thomas J.	17	Langford, Rabon Overstreet	18	Mason, L. D.	30
Henderson, William Grissett	17	Langford, William Washington	22	Matheny, Mary Melissa	38
Henderson, William	18	Lee, George, Jr	21	Mathis, Margaret	33
Henderson, William	18	Lee, James	18	McAlpin, Orby	12
Henson, James Gabriel	20	Legg, Ninnie	35	McBrayer, Louis Lamar	6
Hill, Ike	10	Lewis, Columbia	27	McBrayer, Louis Lamar	6
Hill, Julia Ann	32	Lewis, Harriet	25	McBrayer, Tracy	6
Hill, Melissa	9	Lewis, Susan Madora	25	McBride, Henry	38
Hill, Nancy	17	Lewis, Susan	1	McCall, Mary J.	24, 37
Hobbs, Eliza Jane	38	Liles, Emaline	30	McCellon, Allice Bell	25
Hodel, Lloyd	3	Liles, Henry	30	McCoy, Charlie	37
Holland, James Garfield	25	Liles, James P.	30	McCullough, Jeannie Ann	35
Holmes, J. B.	14	Liles, John James, Jr	30	McDaniel, Nannie	32
Holmes, William	18	Liles, John James	30	McDonald, Annie Roberta	17
Holt, Willie	33	Liles, Lissy	30	McDonald, Georgia	36
Honeycutt, Mary	36	Liles, Martha	30	McGilvary, Mary Ann	33
Hood, E. J.	32	Liles, Sam	30	McGrady, Issac	38

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McIlwain, Buddy	36	Mixon, Arcota	34	Pepper, Zidania	29
McIlwain, Sarah Alice	37	Mixon, Octavia	34	Perkins, Thomas J.	28
McMullen, Martha	17	Mixon, Tabitha	31	Perry, William	18
McNeace, Jim	10	Morgan, John	22	Petit, Alex	4
McNease, Bonnie Rae	11	Morris, Aline	37	Pettus, Thelma	36
McPhail, Amanda	11, 13	Morrison, Leonard	25	Pierce, Joe M.	11
McPhail, Annie	1	Morton, Edwin	13	Pierce, Luena	12
McPhail, Carrie V.	12	Moseley, E. B.	30	Pierce, Olive Myra	15
McPhail, Elaine	1	Moseley, Hubbard	28	Pinholster, Susan E.	22
McPhail, Elizabeth (Lizzie)	1	Mosely, Lillian Maude	28	Plake, John R.	35
McPhail, Harriet	10	Mulholland, Ruby Kate	3	Platt, Laura Irene	22
McPhail, Jake	10	Murphy, Mary Matilda	16	Polk, Dale	6
McPhail, James	10	Murray, Ada Francis	22	Polk, Jerry	6
McPhail, John	1	Murray, Ethel Carolyn	13	Polk, Paulette	6
McPhail, John	10	Murray, Hardy	1	Polk, Tony	6
McPhail, Mary	10	Murray, Jim	37	Polk	6
McPhail, Maude	14	Murray, John Jackson Styles, Jr	21	Poole, Eugene Coleman	4
McPhail, Mirierva	1	Murray, John Jackson Styles	21	Poole, Ferrill Lamar	4
McPhail, Miranda	1	Murray, Richmond	1	Poole, Ferrill Lamar	5
McPhail, Parthenia	1	Musgrove, J. B.	16	Poole, Joseph Edwin	5
McPhail, Reidie Glen	13	Myrtle	25	Popwell, Boyette	17
McPhail, William	1	Nancy	1	Popwell, Eliza Matilda	17
McPhail, William	13	Nation, Henry	1	Popwell, John W.	17
McQuaig, Jimpsey	21	Nations, Alvin Henry	13	Popwell, Nancy	17
McRae, Alice Flora	36	Nations, Bonnie Lee	15	Popwell, Paul	17, 18
McRae, Cora	37	Nations, John	9	Popwell, Winaford Miriah	18
McRae, Elizabeth	37	Nelson, Emma Della	14	Powell, Oscar	20
Melton, Colin Joseph	4	Nettles, Sallie	32	Presley, Ginger	8
Melton, Michael Thomas	4	Nobles, Charles	13	Presley, Luther	8
Melton, Thomas Warren	4	Nobles, John T.	23	Presley, Phyllis	8
Middleton, D. W.	13	Norris, William Thomas	14	Price, Mary Jane	26
Miley, James	23	Nowlton, Nancy	24	Prine, Oliver	11
Miller, Amy	18	O'Wynn, Charlie J.	36	Pringle, William	19
Miller, Barbara	18	Odom, Mary	21	Quinn, Victorline Q.	18
Miller, Caroline	21	Oliff, Allie Iona	31	Ramsur, Bonita	6
Miller, Catherine	18	Oppel, Bobby	8	Ramsur, Carol	6
Miller, Clara Aileen	11	Oppel, Matt	8	Ramsur, J. B.	6
Miller, Cyrene	21	Oppel, Robert	8	Ramsur, Jessie	6
Miller, David J.	21	Oppel, Scott	8	Ramsur, Joyce	6
Miller, David	21	Overstreet, Howard Cochran	4	Ramsur, Murphy	6
Miller, Ezekial Stafford	18, 19	Overstreet, Marilyn Ann	3	Ramsur, Rachel	6
Miller, Henry	21	Park, Herbert Oswalk	25	Ramsur, Victor	6
Miller, James P.	21	Parker, Issac	17	Ramsur	6
Miller, John H.	18	Parker, Joseph R.	30	Randoll, Ruby	11
Miller, Loanza	21	Parker, Ruben A.	30	Raynes, Bella	15
Miller, Lusina	18	Parkman, Myrtice	12	Raynes, Bobbie Jean	13
Miller, Martha	18	Patrick, Francis	22	Raynes, Holland	12
Miller, Martin Luther	18, 19	Patterson, George	25	Raynes, Mike	10
Miller, Mary	21	Pearl	8	Raynes, Patty Sue	12
Miller, Moses	18	Pepper, Alice Rosie	30	Reed, Arthur Butler	29
Miller, Nancy	21	Pepper, Elisha, Jr	29	Reed, L. A. C.	29
Miller, Nathan B.	18, 19	Pepper, Elisha	29	Reid, Ida Lee	11
Miller, Redmond S.	1	Pepper, George R.	29	Reid, Issac Newton	11
Miller, Stephen	21	Pepper, Laura M.	30	Reid, Maybell	15
Miller, Susanah	21	Pepper, Martha T.	30	Reid, Virgie Mary	12
Miller, Thomas Hilliard	21	Pepper, Mary A.	29	Reynolds, Leroy	14
Miller, William H.	21	Pepper, Samuel J.	29	Rhodes, Calvin J.	38
Milton, James Nathaniel	20	Pepper, Sultania	29	Rials, Dawn "Dona"	9

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Richey, Hamp	37	Sloan, Elizabeth Ann	7	Sylvest, Janet	5
Richie, Gus	28	Sloan, James William	7	Sylvest, Lottie Faye	5
Robbins, Andrew Jackson	10	Sloan, Kristin Lee	7	Sylvest, Theresa	5
Robbins, Angeline	10	Sloan, Patty Kathryn	7	Sylvest	5
Robbins, Jane	1	Sloan, William Lee	7	Tabor, William	14
Robbins, Julia A.	10, 11, 12, 13	Smith, Almedia	12	Tagert, Alberta	5
Robbins, Maggie	12	Smith, Annie Irene	12	Tagert, Betty	5
Roberts, Alexandra Nicole	8	Smith, Bilbo	12	Tagert, Chrystine	5
Roberts, Carrol Osmer	7	Smith, Charles Ralph	13	Tagert, Curtis	5
Roberts, Carroll Osmer, Jr.	7	Smith, Daniel	21	Tagert, Denis	5
Roberts, Christopher Thomas	8	Smith, Emma Orevia	13	Tagert, Greg	5
Roberts, Frederick Owen	7	Smith, Ethel Lueazer	12	Tagert, Harry	5
Roberts, Martha	20	Smith, Everitt	12	Tagert, Johnny	5
Roberts, Samantha Leigh	8	Smith, Frances Amelia	12	Tagert, Kerry	5
Roberts, Thomas Griffin	7	Smith, G. W.	12	Tagert, Louise	5
Robertson, John	2	Smith, Hattie Catherine	34	Tagert, Patty	5
Robertson, Leonard R.	29	Smith, Isiah	13	Tagert, Ronnie	5
Rogers, Eli J.	22	Smith, J. D.	13	Tagert, Vera	5
Rogers, Ellen Rebekah	22	Smith, J. L.	29	Talbot, Susan	29
Romine, Glen	14	Smith, John Calvin	12	Tatom, Nancy	3
Rouse, Nancy Emily	24, 25, 26	Smith, Kelly	11	Taylor, Carrie	27
Russell, John W.	29	Smith, Leola Laurenia	13	Terrell, Rev.	29
Russell, John	29	Smith, Lizzie	12	Tew, Rebecca	25
Sabra	21, 23	Smith, M.	13	Thames, Martha Patsy	26, 32
Sanders, Betty Ruth	7	Smith, Mack Cornelius	11, 13	Thomas, Betsy	23
Sanders, Butler Columbus	7	Smith, Martha	18	Thomas, Charles	23
Sanders, Jake	10	Smith, Martin	12	Thomas, Dora Jane	27
Sanders, Margaret Louise	7	Smith, Maudell	13	Thomas, John Frank	26
Sanders, Robert Eugene	7	Smith, Overt	13	Thomas, Kiler	23
Sanders, William Butler	7	Smith, Raleigh Mitchell	12	Thomas, Larkin	30
Sapp, Benjamin	22	Smith, Rebecca	10	Thomas, Meridith	23
Sapp, Celia Elizabeth	22	Smith, Samuel L.	12	Thornton, Emma	19
Sapp, Henry	22	Smith, Sarah Matilda	33	Thornton, George W.	18
Sapp, John Dyess	22	Smith, Sarah Rosanne	29	Thornton, Vicena M.	28
Sapp, Josephine	22	Smith, William McKinley	13	Tisdale, Margaret	32
Sapp, Julia Ann	22	Smith, Zetta Mae	11, 13	Tisdale, Ransom	25
Sapp, Mary Ann	22	Speights, Gertrude	11	Todd, Jacob G.	18
Sapp, Sarah Ann	22	Speights, Willard	15	Todd, Lola Bess	16
Sapp, Susanah	22	Stanford, John Henry	38	Touchstone, Aaron Ashley	3
Sasser, Lewis H.	24	Stanford, Martha	24	Touchstone, Jack H.	3
Sasser, Solomon Cullen Tullis	24	Stephens, Brenda Lee	7	Touchstone, Jessie Henry	3
Sauls, Allen	19	Still, Heather Elaine	8	Touchstone, Margaret Evelyn	3
Saulters, Alvin Earnest	14	Still, James Brantley	8	Touchstone, Rachel Elaine	3
Sayre, Cealy Jane	28	Still, Janie Elizabeth	8	Touchstone, Susan Kathleen	3
Self, David	32	Still, Mabel Lolite	8	Trippie, Ethel Mae	4
Self, Tilford	32	Still, William Brantley	8	Turnage, Curtis	12
Sellers, Baker	33	Still, William Thomas	8	Turner, Mary Lou	15
Shirley, Pearl	34	Storey, Oliver Edwin	26	Twigg, Lucy	21, 23
Shivers, Edie	2	Story, Carey M.	26	Tyronne, Estus	1
Shivers, Steve	1	Story, Ella	26	Ulmer, Martha	3
Shows, James Beauregard	29	Strickland, Caroline Emeline	38	Underwood, Havilah	24
Shows, Nancy	15	Stubbs, Mary Catherine	21	Underwood, William	23
Sidney	26, 27	Suber, Charlie Presley	26	Upchurch	24, 25
Sikes, John F.	30	Sullivan	7	Vaughan, Laurince	13
Simmons, Alice Maria Burleigh	18	Sweat, Julia	21	Violator	1
Simmons, Betsey	24	Sweat, Miriah	21	Walder	16
Simmons, John	25	Sweat, Serena	21	Walters, Dickie Harrison	8
Sims, Sterling	32	Sylvest, Clarice	5	Walters, Norma Jean	4

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Ward, Hazel Azlee	14
Ward, Mack	10
Ward, Q.	10
Warren, Albina Francois	27
Weathers, Benjamin, Jr.	21
Weathers, Benjamin	23
Weathers, Edward	23
Weathers, Esther	23
Weathers, George Aquiller ...	23
Weathers, John	23
Weathers, Lucy Pamela	23
Weathers, Sarah	23
Weems, A. J.	27
West, Mayo	35
White, Lawrence Edward	11
White, Leon Randolph	11
Whitlow, Amanda Martha ...	31
Whitney, Homer Henry	37
Whitney, Margie Estelle	37
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Whitney, William Sheldon ...	37
Wilkins, Hattie Alma	37
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Williams, Artimissa Vivian ..	36
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Woolverton, Stella	27
Wright, Irene	38
Wright, John Lonza	38
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Yarbrough, Benjamin	21
Yarbrough, Caroline	20
Youmans, Mary	22
Youngblood, Fannie	26
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The Descendants of
THOMAS D. DYESS, 1812-1868,
and NANCY JENKINS, 1817-1868

Martin

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Chapter One

THOMAS D. DYESS

The following affidavits were transcribed from photo-copies of the original documents on file with The General Services Administration, National Archives and Records Service, Washington, D. C.

The writing being old and faded, is not always legible. when a word cannot be accurately read, rather than guess at it, that space will be left blank.

Thomas D. Dyess, as shown by these documents, made two applications for land grants, based upon his service in the Creek Indian War of 1836. The first one was for 40 acres, and the second one for a larger amount after Congress had amended the original act.

While it appears that THOMAS D. was not an educated man, these documents do point to the fact that he was a man of individuality and did not conform to the practice of his friends. The usual mark for a signature was then, as now, a cross in the form of a plus sign (+) or a multiplication sign, (x) but that was not the way with THOMAS D. His "mark" for his signature was unusual, and it never varied in the following documents, even though there lapse of five years between the dates.

You will notice that in 1851, he signs his name as THOMAS D. D. DYESS, using the unusual signature mark, but in 1855, he signs as THOMAS D. DYESS, using only one "D", but the "mark" is identical on both documents.

He was carried as THOMAS DIAS on the muster rolls of the Georgia Volunteers, as the cover for each file refers to him as Private, Corporal and Sergeant DIAS

The documents follow:

"The State of Mississippi {
County of Jones }

On this 14th day of June A. D. 1851, personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace, within and for the county and state aforesaid, THOMAS D. D. DYESS, aged about 38 years and a resident of Jones County, in the State of Mississippi, who being duly sworn according to the law, declares that he is the identical THOMAS D. D. DYESS who was a Sergeant in the company commanded by Captain Henry Jarnigans, number of the regiment not recollected, but commanded by Col. Bell in the war with the tribe of Indians called Creeks. The time it was declared is not recollected; that he volunteered some time about the 1st day of July A. D. 1836, during the war, and continued actual service about 2½ months and was honorably discharged at Lumpkin, Stewart County, Georgia, about the 15th day of September 1836, as will appear on the muster rolls of said company; that he never applied for any written discharge, not thinking it was necessary.

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining bounty land to which he may be entitled under the act

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granting bounty land to certain officers and soldiers who have been engaged in the military service of the United States which was passed September 28th A. D. 1850.

Attest:
G. H. Taylor
his
s/ THOMAS D. D. DYESS
mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year written above and I hereby certify that I believe that the said THOMAS D. D. DYESS to be the identical man who served as aforesaid and he is of about the same age as above shown.

s/ G. H. Taylor, J. P.
Jones County, Miss.

The State of Mississippi }
County of Jones }

On this the 14th day of June A. D. 1851, personally appeared before me, the undersigned Justice of the Peace in and for the said county and state, THOMAS D. D. DYESS, who was a sergeant in the company commanded by Captain Henry Jarnigans, the number of the regiment not recollected; that he entered service on or about the first day of July A. D. 1836 and he makes this declaration to obtain his pay for said military services for said term of enlistment and he further states that he never received any pay or compensation for or in lieu of said military services from the United States except his monthly wages.

his
s/ THOMAS D. D. DYESS
mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the undersigned Justice of the Peace, the day and year written above and I hereby certify that I believe the said THOMAS D. D. DYESS to be the identical man who served as aforesaid and that he is of about the same age above stated. (Compiler: He failed to show his age in the above affidavit.)

s/ G. H. Taylor, J. P.
Jones County, Miss.

State of Mississippi }
County of Jones }

Know all by these presents that I, THOMAS D. D. DYESS of the county and state aforesaid, do hereby make, ordain and appoint Daniel M. Thoms (or Thomas) of said county, my true and lawful attorney in fact to do and act for me about my application for bounty land to which I may be entitled under the act granting bounty land to certain officers and soldiers who have been engaged in the military service of the United States passed September 28th A. D. 1850 and the said D. M. Thoms (or Thomas) is hereby empowered, irrevocably, to do and act for me in this.

In confirmation of which I do hereby subscribe my hand

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s/ THOMAS D. D. DYESS
mark

Signed, sealed and delivered before me, the undersigned Justice of the Peace the day and year written above.

s/ G. H. Taylor, J. P.
Jones County.

seal

State of Mississippi }
County of Jones }

I, D. M. Shows, Clerk of the Probate Court, in and for said county, do hereby certify that G. H. Taylor, whose genuine signature appears to the foregoing and within affidavits is and was at the date thereof an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said county, duly elected, commissioned and qualified as such, full faith and credit are due all acts in Judicature and thereout.

Given under my hand and seal of this office this 27th day of June 1851.

s/ D. M. Shows, Clerk

(The above application assigned Number 29643, July 17, 1851, by Washington, D. C.)

State of Mississippi }
County of Jones }

On this 17th day of April A. D. 1855, personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace, for county and state aforesaid, THOMAS DYESS, aged about 42 years, a resident of the County of Jones, State of Mississippi, who being duly sworn in the form of law, declares he is the identical THOMAS DYESS who was a private in the company under the command of Captain Henry Jarnigan in the regiment of Georgia Volunteers, commanded by Colonel Bell in the War with the Creek and Seminole Indians, declared by the United States in the year 1826 for the term of the war and continued in actual service in said war for two months and eighteen days; that he has heretofore made application for bounty land under the Act of September 28th, 1850 and received a land account number not recollected, (See above. Number 29643) for forty acres which he has since legally disposed of and cannot (two words illegible).

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining additional bounty land to which he may be entitled under the Act approved the third day of (illegible) 1855. He also declares that he has never applied for or received under any other Act of Congress, any bounty land warrant except the one above mentioned.

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s/ THOMAS ^ψ DYESS
mark

We, Joseph Pool and Joe E. Welborn, residents of the County of Jones, State of Mississippi, upon our oath declare that the foregoing declaration was signed and acknowledged in our presence and that we believe from the appearance and statements of the applicant that he is the same identical person he represents himself to be.

s/ Joseph Pool
Joe Welborn

The foregoing declaration and affidavit were sworn to and subscribed before me on the day and years written and I certify that I know the affiants to be creditable persons; that the claimant is the person he represents himself to be; that I have no interest in the claim.

Given under my hand and seal this 27th day of April A. D. 1855.

seal

s/ J. M. Bates, J. P.

I, Joe E. Welborn, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Jones County, State of Mississippi, hereby certify that John M. Bates, whose signature appears on the foregoing declaration is genuine and is an acting Justice of the Peace in aforesaid county and that full truth and credit is given to his official acts as such.

Given under my hand and seal of office of this court the 17th day of April A. D. 1855.

s/ Joe E. Welborn,
Clerk, Circuit Court
of Jones County, Miss.

The above application was assigned a number of 134827 by the Land Office in Washington and the cover of this application also carries the number 29643, which is the number of the first application filed, thus proving that is the same man making both applications for bounty land.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE

State of Georgia

County of
Stewart

This Certifies That THOMAS DYESS
and NANCY N. JENKINS were united
in the

HOLY BONDS OF MATRIMONY

By C. A. Parkes as Minister
on the 10th day of November in the year of our Lord
1836, as appears of record in my office in Marriage
Book A-1, Page 50, this 28th day of May 1965.

Seal of the
Court of Ordinary
Stewart County, Ga.
at Lumpkin, Ga.

s/ Raiford L. Barbaree
Clerk of the Ordinary

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1850 CENSUS
JONES COUNTY MISSISSIPPI

Name	Age	Sex	Occupation	State Born
THOMAS DYAS	37	M	Farmer	Georgia
Nancy	33	F	Keeping house	Georgia
Scott (Edmond)	13	M	At home	Georgia
Mary	10	F	At home	Georgia
John	9	M	At home	Georgia
Sarah (Ann)	6	F	At home	Georgia
Violatta	4	M	At home	Georgia
James	2	M	At home	Georgia

1860 CENSUS
JONES COUNTY MISSISSIPPI

THOMAS D. DYESS	48	M	Farmer	Georgia
Nancy	43	F	Keeping house	Georgia
Edmond	23	M	Farmer	Georgia
Mary E.	21	F	At home	Georgia
J. G. (Jno. Geo.)	19	M	At home	Georgia
S.A. (Sara Ann)	16	F	At home	Georgia
William	9	M	At home	Miss.
L.A. (Lydia Ann)	7	F	At home	Miss.
Thomas	5	M	At home	Miss.
M. C.	2	F	At home	Miss.
Alvey G.	1	M	At home	Miss.

Lydia ANN and Sarah ANN are correct.

Thomas, who was age 5 in the above census, named one of his daughters LYDIA ANN and another GERTRUDE ANNA.

1880 CENSUS
VERNON PARISH, La.

Hse. No.	Name	Color	Sex	Age	Relation-ship	Occup-ation	State born	Father/Mother
101	DIAS, John G.	W	M	38		Farmer	Ga.	Ga. Ga.
	Mary	W	F	29	Wife	Hsekpr.	Miss.	Miss. Ms.
	Malinda	W	F	11	Dau.	At home	La.	Ga. Ms.
	Martha	W	F	9	Dau.	At home	La.	Ga. Ms.
	Elizabeth	W	F	5	Dau.	At home	La.	Ga. Ms.
	Robert	W	M	4	Son	At home	La.	Ga. Ms.
	Diana	W	F	7/12	Dau.	At home	La.	Ga. Ms.
116	DIAS, Edmond	W	M	43		Farmer	Ga.	Ga. Ga.
	Margaret	W	F	33	Wife	Hsewife	Ga.	Ga. Ga.
	America	W	F	18	Dau.	At home	Miss.	Ga. Ga.
	Emma E.	W	F	16	Dau.	At home	Miss.	Ga. Ga.
	A. Jackson	W	M	9	Son	At home	La.	Ga. Ga.
	James	W	M	7	Son	At home	La.	Ga. Ga.
	Josie (Joseph B.)	W	M	4	Son	At home	La.	Ga. Ga.
	Mary	W	F	2	Dau.	At home	La.	Ga. Ga.

(The above is from pages 128 and 129 of the Vernon Parish, Louisiana Census in the 5th and 6th Wards June 9 and 10th by Charles K. Oakes, Enumerator.)

162	DIAS, Thomas	W	M	25		Farmer	Miss.	Ga. Ga.
	*Cabriellen (Sabra Ellen)	W	F	25		Hsewife	Miss.	Ga. Ms.

*Note the census enumerator's spelling of SABRA ELLEN.

(The above is from pages 20 and 21 of the Vernon Parish, Louisiana Census in Ward 5, June 14, 1880 by Charles K. Oakes, Enumerator,

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L. G. Kilgore and wife Nancy, sold to THOMAS D. DYESS, 100 acres of land for \$50.00 on July 10, 1853. ("Conveyance Book B.," page 141, Jones County, Ellisville, Mississippi. At that time, Ellisville was the county seat of Jones county, it later being moved to Laurel.)

James M. Powell and wife Sarah, July 14, 1855, sold to THOMAS D. DYESS for \$5.00 the S/E 1/4 of N/W 1/4 of land lying east of the Talahouma Creek. ("Conveyance Book B.," pages 177 and 178. Jones County, Ellisville, Mississippi.)

Using the 1850 Census of Jones County, Mississippi, in which it shows the last child as being born in Georgia in 1848, and in the 1860 census of the same county, in which it shows the first child born in Mississippi in 1851, will prove that this family left Stewart County, Georgia, and moved to Jones County, Miss. before 1850. According to family tradition, they stopped in Alabama for a short time, possibly a year, and raised a crop.

There are also the affidavits, claiming bounty land, dated in 1851, further supporting the census records of 1850. Two sons of THOMAS D. DYESS, EDMOND and JOHN GEORGE, each served in Co. K. 8th Mississippi Infantry from Jones County during the Civil War. (Mississippi Department of Archives and CSA grave markers.)

On February 20, 1865, THOMAS D. DYESS, wife NANCY, and son ED, appeared before C. M. Edmonson, Clerk of Court for Jones County, Mississippi and sold to Moses Holifield for the sum of \$2000.00, 750 acres of land lying on the east side of Talahouma Creek to wit: W 1/2 of S/E 1/4 and E 1/2 of S/W 1/4 of N/E 1/4 of Sec. 12 Tp. 8 R 15 W and E 1/2 of S/W 1/4 of Sec. 15 Tp. 8 R 15 and S/E 1/4 of Sec. 11 and E 1/2 of N/W 1/4 and N/W 1/4 of S/E 1/4 and S/W 1/4 Sec. 14 and also that part of S/E 1/4 of N/W 1/4 lying on the east side of Talahouma Creek. (Source of the preceding transaction is Vol. D., page 264, Jones County, Laurel, Mississippi, now the county seat.)

The westward move is on again. The War between the States is over; the slaves are free and the south is temporarily crushed, brought to its knees by the north and held in subjugation by the corrupt and tyrannical administration of the federal government. While the election of the state and local officials was still permitted, the former local leaders were not permitted to register and vote. They were all disenfranchised for their espousal of and participation in the late war. They did, however, permit the former plantation overseers and "white trash" to register and vote, but required the former slaves to register and vote. Very few, if any, of these people were able to read or write, so at election time, aided and abetted by the carpet-bagger, the local renegades and other scum of the earth, the ballot box was stuffed with votes for the man being offered for office by the local "leaders."

With 750 acres of land and without help with which to work it and having to live under the chaotic conditions imposed upon them by this carpet-bag rule, the former land owners were forced to do something to make a living and it is obvious that the living could not be made in Jones County or any other place in Mississippi.

THOMAS D. DYESS, his wife Nancy, and their single children, JOHN GEORGE, LYDIA ANN, THOMAS, M. C. and ALVEY G. and their

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married, son EDMOND, and his wife, MARGARET MATHIS, with their two children, AMERICA and EMMA E., started this westward move after selling their land, shortly after February 1865.

They found suitable land in Cherokee County, Texas, and settled near Rusk in late 1865 or early 1866. In 1868, shortly after they were settled in their new surroundings, the family was again faced with sorrow, sorrow for the remaining members of the family. All, or most of the family contracted dysentery, which took the life of THOMAS D., NANCY, M. C. and ALVEY G.

Faced with these seemingly insurmountable odds, and without the counsel, love and companionship of the parents and their brother and sister, the surviving members decided to move back east.

EDMOND DYESS and his family, with his brother THOMAS and their sister LYDIA, stopped in Rapides Parish, Louisiana, which was later to become Vernon Parish. They settled on Big Creek, near the old Cora, Louisiana post-office in Ward 5. THOMAS and LYDIA remained with EDMOND until they were married.

JOHN GEORGE continued his eastward journey until he reached the home of his "sweetheart" between Laurel and Hattiesburg, Miss., and there he was married to MARY ANN MCGILVRAY. Immediately after the marriage, he with his bride, left for Louisiana, where they settled in the same area of that of his brother EDMOND. The records of the United States Land Office, Washington, D. C., and the records of the Parish Clerk at Leesville, La. reflect that all three of these brothers, at one time or another applied for and were granted a homestead of about 160 acres each.

(Each of the following contributed in part some of the above from personal knowledge or from information passed on to them by some of the persons involved.)

Mrs. HATTIE LEE DYESS COCKRELL, San Angelo, Texas
Grandaughter of THOMAS D. and daughter of JOHN GEORGE.

Mrs. ANGIE DYESS HAMMER, Long Beach California.

Judge RICHARD THOMAS DYESS, Albany, Texas
Both of the above are also children of JOHN
GEORGE DYESS and grandchildren of THOMAS D.

Mrs. SARAH MATILDA SMITH DYESS (Mrs Joseph B.
DYESS, daughter-in-law of EDMOND and grand-
daughter-in-law of THOMAS D. DYESS.

THOMAS FRANCIS (FRANK) DYESS (deceased)

WILLIAM EDWARD DYESS (deceased)

The two immediately above were sons of THOMAS
DYESS and also grandsons of THOMAS D. DYESS.

In 1887, JOHN GEORGE DYESS and his wife MARY ANN, with the seven living children (two died in infancy) decided to move to Texas. They went directly to Hubbard, Texas, and stayed about two weeks with MARY ANN's sister, ELIZABETH JANE MCGILVRAY FERGUSON, after which they moved to Mt. Calm, Texas in Hill county, where MARY ANN died in 1892.

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(The preceding paragraph is from the personal knowledge and Bible records of Mrs. HATTIE LEE (J. T.) DYESS COCKRELL and of Judge RICHARD THOMAS DYESS, now deceased.)

The following surmisal concerns the disappearance of some of the names of children found in various census reports on the family of THOMAS D. DYESS.

In the 1850, Jones County, Mississippi census the names of two sons, VIOLATA, age four, and James, Age two appear, but they do not show up in the 1860 census of the same county. It is therefore reasonable to assume that they died during this ten year period as neither of them would have been of marriageable age. VIOLATA, an unusual name for an Anglo-American, has shown up so many times in the past in the research of the DYESS name, even in the DYESS names not known to be related to that of THOMAS D. DYESS and by that name, it further strengthens my belief that most of the DYESS descendants are from a common progenitor in America. WILLIAM, age nine in the 1850 Jones County, Mississippi census does not show up in the 1860 census. He would have been of a marriageable age before 1860, but we do not find his name as head of a family in the 1860 census and will assume that he died young.

MARY E., born in Georgia in 1839, appears on both the 1850 and 1860 census of Jones county. She would have been about 25 years of age when her family left Jones county, and there is nothing further heard from her. Our presumption is that she married between 1860 and 1865, and, of course, her name was changed and is now lost in the records. Further research will have to determine whether or not this is true. If she did not marry before the family moved to Texas, then our only conclusion would be that she died sometime during this five year period. None of the older descendants of THOMAS D. DYESS recall the name; however, one of them said she thought she remembered her father speak of a sister, but did not recall the name.

In attempting to show you in the easiest form possible, we think, the descendancy of THOMAS D. DYESS and NANCY JENKINS, we will use the following method:

THOMAS D. DYESS will not have a designation. He is of the first generation for the purpose of this genealogy.
I, II, III, etc. will designate the second generation.
A, B, C, etc. will designate the third generation.
1, 2, 3, etc. will designate the fourth generation.
a, b, c, etc. will designate the fifth generation.
aa, ab, ac, etc will designate the sixth generation.
aaa, aba, aca, etc. will designate the seventh generation.
baa, bab, bac, etc. will designate the eighth generation.

We have studied many genealogies with varied methods of designations, and have found that there is not one with a method by which a name may be found instantly. There must always be some tucy, but we think this one is as simple as any we have found.

THOMAS D. DYESS, born 1812 in Georgia. The names of his parents are not known with any certainty, and nothing of his childhood. We know that at the age of 24, at Lumpkin, Georgia, he enlisted in the Georgia Volunteers for service in the Creek Indian War in 1836. His company was commanded by Capt Jarnigan, and his regiment by Colonel Bell. He served as a private and corporal and was discharged at Lumpkin, September 16, 1836. (Department of Archives, General Services Administration, Washington, D. C.)

He was married in Stewart County, Georgia, November 10, 1836 by the Rev. C. A. Parkes. (See copy of marriage certificate on a preceding page from Marriage Book A-1, Page 50, Stewart County, Georgia, Court of the Ordinary, Lumpkin, Ga.) He was married to:

NANCY JENKINS, born 1817 in Georgia. The following statement regarding her parents is only conjectural, but believed to be true, in light of the evidence following. We believe she is the granddaughter of Sterling Jenkins, Revolutionary War soldier, and the daughter of Edmond Jenkins, born April 28, 1785, and of Mary Walker, born June 17, 1792 in Rutherford County, N. C. (Records of Mr. C. Robert Watkins, 3325 Melatchie Drive, Columbus, Georgia and the quarterly, THEY WERE HERE, Vol. 1, No. 2, June 1965, edited by Frances Wynd, Albany, Ga. shows Edmond Jenkins affiliating with the Harmony Church in Stewart County, January 26, 1839.)

THOMAS D. DYESS and NANCY JENKINS named their oldest son EDMOND which further lends support to the theory that she was the daughter and sister of these Edmond Jenkins. The records of Mr. Roberts shows the date of death of most of the brothers and sisters of the NANCY JENKINS he has, but it does not mention her, and that fact, coupled with the fact that our NANCY JENKINS died in Texas in 1868, or 19 years after having left Georgia, and communication being as slow as it was then, shows they probably did not know where she was or when she died.

THOMAS D. DYESS and NANCY JENKINS settled in Cherokee County near Rusk, Texas about 1865, and in 1868, he, his wife and two youngest children, M. C. and Alvey G., died within 24 hours of each other. There was born to this couple the following children and only six are known to have reached adulthood, and only five of those of whom we have any record. The children were:

- I. EDMOND DYESS, born 1837 in Georgia
- II. MARY E. DYESS, born 1839 in Georgia
- III. JOHN GEORGE DYESS, born 1841 in Georgia
- IV. SARAH ANN DYESS, born 1844 in Georgia
- V. VIOLATA DYESS, born 1846 in Georgia
- VI. JAMES DYESS, born 1848 in Georgia
- VII. WILLIAM DYESS, born 1851 in Mississippi
- VIII. LYDIA ANN DYESS, born 1853 in Mississippi
- IX. THOMAS DYESS, born 1855 in Mississippi
- X. M. C. DYESS, born 1858 in Mississippi
- XI. ALVEY G. DYESS, born 1860 in Mississippi

(1850 and 1860 Census of Jones County, Mississippi and from the following grand children whose parents passed this information to them from personal knowledge: Mrs. Hattie Lee Dyess Cockrell, San Angelo, Texas; Mrs. Angie Dyess Hamner, Long Beach, Calif.; Judge Richard Thomas Dyess, Albany, Texas, and Mrs. Joseph B. (Matilda) Dyess, Gardner, La.

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Chapter Two

EDMOND DYESS

I. EDMOND D. DYESS, born in Georgia December 6, 1837; died December 31, 1912. He moved from Jones County, Miss. to Rusk, Cherokee County, Texas about 1865 or 1866, with his father, mother, two brothers and two sisters. After the death of his father and mother and a brother and a sister within 24 hours of each other, he returned to Louisiana with his family and a younger brother and sister and settled in what is now east Vernon Parish, then Rapides Parish. He served in the Confederate Army in Co. K., 8th Mississippi Infantry. He was a Baptist and a member of Fellowship Lodge #217 F&AM. He is buried in Fellowship Cemetery near Hineston, La. and his grave is marked with a CSA marker. In about 1860, he was married to:

MARGARET MATHIS, who was born 1847 in Georgia. They had:

- A. AMERICA DYESS, born 1862 in Mississippi
- B. EMMA E. DYESS, born 1864 in Mississippi
- C. ANDREW J. DYESS, born 1869 in Louisiana
- D. JAMES (JIM) DYESS, born 1874 in Louisiana
- E. JOSEPH B. (JOSIE) DYESS, born 1876 in Louisiana
- F. MARY DYESS, born 1878 in Louisiana
- G. LUCY DYESS, born 1878 in Louisiana
- H. LeJEAN DYESS, born 1879 in Louisiana

A. AMERICA DYESS, born in 1862 in Mississippi. No other information.

B. EMMA E. DYESS, born 1864 in Mississippi; married ALBERT (AL) WILSON, son of Frank Wilson and Sarah Matilda Bird who moved from Jackson County, Miss. to Rapides Parish, Louisiana between 1865 and 1866. This couple had, but not necessarily in the order shown:

1. ALBERT (ALLIE) WILSON Jr., married FANNIE GRAY.
2. MARGARET WILSON, married JAMES DONALDSON.
3. HERMAN WILSON, died young.
4. EDMOND WILSON, never married.
5. JESSE WILSON, married BESSIE STROTHER.
6. BAILEY WILSON, never married.
7. THOMAS WILSON, married JESSIE STROTHER.
8. JANE (JANIE) WILSON, married NELSON GREEN.

C. ANDREW JACKSON DYESS, born 1869 in Louisiana; died in 1879, and is buried next to his brother, LeJean Dyess, in the Upper Mount Moriah Cemetery, about one mile north or northwest of the present Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, situated in east Vernon Parish, about one half mile off of the Pitkin-Hineston road.

D. JAMES EDWARD (JIM) DYESS, born January 11, 1874 in Vernon Parish, Louisiana. He was married first to MARGARET DAVIS, daughter of Dooley Davis and of Charity Ann (Patsy) Franklin. This couple had:

1. ZELLA DYESS, born March 20, 1893.

2. GEORGE A. DYESS, born November 5, 1895.
3. ELVA DYESS, born December 11, 1898.
4. MARY DYESS, born February 2, 1902.

JAMES DYESS was married second to RACHEL BOUNDS, born April 17, 1886 in Hancock County, Mississippi and this couple had:

5. EULA DYESS
6. EVERETT DYESS, born May 21, 1912.
7. ETHEL DYESS, born March 14, 1914.
8. EDNA DYESS, born October 27, 1916.
9. ELLA DYESS, born December 23, 1920.
10. ETTA DYESS, born November 20, 1923.
11. EDWARD DYESS
12. MARGARET DYESS

1. ZELLA DYESS, born March 1893. She is a member of the First Baptist Church in DeQuincy, La. and resides in DeQuincy. She was married first to GEORGE KNIGHT and this couple had:

- a. CARROLL KNIGHT, born at Hicks, Louisiana.
- b. ROY KNIGHT
- c. ETTA MARIE KNIGHT
- d. MARIE ETTA KNIGHT

ZELLA DYESS KNIGHT married second to EDMUND C. SCHROLL, born in 1873. He was a member of the Baptist Church, a member of the DeQuincy Royal Arch Masons and of DeQuincy Lodge No. 279 F&AM. This couple had:

- e. EDNA RAE SCHROLL
- f. EDWARD CLYDE SCHROLL
- g. FERN SCHROLL
- h. IRABEA SCHROLL
- i. EVERETT LEE SCHROLL
- j. NORMAN SCHROLL
- k. ELSIE SCHROLL

c. ETTA MARIE KNIGHT, born March 4, 1916 was married to ALVIN ELLSWORTH SHOEMAKE of DeQuincy, La., son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shoemake. He died November 2, 1961 and is buried in DeQuincy. She died September 28, 1972 in Lake Charles and is buried in Lake Charles. She was employed by the Lake Charles Mental Health Center for 11 years. This couple had, but not necessarily in the order shown:

aa. JUDITH MARIE SHOEMAKE, born October 14, 1945, in Port Sulphur, La.; she was married December 24, 1962, to ALLEN RAY WOOD, born October 16, 1944 in Ville Platte, La., son of Tabor Gaston Wood and of Effie Roy, born February 19, 1926, in Eunice, La. They are members of the Baptist Church and reside at 312 Maple Street in

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Chapter Three

JOHN GEORGE DYESS

- III. JOHN GEORGE DYESS, was born in Georgia in 1841. His father was THOMAS D. DYESS, and his mother was NANCY JENKINS. They were married in Stewart County, Georgia, and six children reached adulthood. Their names were: Edmond, Mary E., John George, Sarah Ann, Lydia Ann, and Thomas.

John George, with his family, left Mississippi, in 1865 and settled in Cherokee county, near Rusk, Texas. In about 1868, his mother, father and a brother and a sister contracted dysentery and died within 24 hours of each other and all of them are buried in Cherokee county.

John George rode horseback to Mississippi, where he married his childhood sweetheart, MARY ANN MCGILVRAY, and they immediately started west again, stopping in Rapides Parish, La., where his older brother, Edmond and family, and a younger sister and brother, Lydia and Thomas were living. (Vernon Parish was formed in 1872, out of parts of Rapides, Natchitoches and Sabine Parishes, and all of the Dyess clan were living in that part of Rapides which became Vernon, and any reference made to this locale prior to 1872 will be referred to as Rapides.) He lived there until the latter part of 1887 or early part of 1888, at which time, he and his family moved to Texas. Nine children were born in Louisiana, two of whom died in infancy.

They moved directly to Hubbard, Texas, and stayed about two weeks with MARY ANN MCGILVRAY's twin sister, after which, they moved to Mt. Calm, Texas, (Hill Co.), where MARY ANN MCGILVRAY DYESS died in 1892.

As we research the THOMAS D. DYESS history, you cannot help noticing the number of twins born in this line. In the John George descendency, this was probably helped by the McGilvray line, as you see, Mary Ann McGilvray had a twin sister.

John George Dyess served in the Confederate Army in the Civil War. (Co. K., 8th Mississippi Infantry.) He was captured while scouting the union lines in Pennsylvania and was held in prison near Chicago.

He refused the offer of parole, for to do so, it would have mandatory for him to swear that he would not again bear arms against the union. While a prisoner, he had the opportunity of making a bomb from powder, which he in some manner had acquired. Upon the completion of the bomb, it was placed in a stove in the officer's barracks and the resultant blast blew up the stove and knocked the windows out. For this little breach of etiquette (?) John George drew solitary confinement. This confinement was too good to be true. before long, he managed to knock the lone guard unconscious, taking the guards rifle and escaped. He, after some time, made his way back to the South, where he re-

joined the army of General Joseph E. Johnston and served until the end of the war.

John George loved the farm and lived on a farm all of his life and raised his children to love farm life, and most of them started their married life on a farm.

He was a life-long Baptist and became a deacon when he was a very young man and he lived a strong Christian life every day, as a Christian and a deacon should live. He died in 1918 and is buried in the Mesquite Cemetery in Hill County, Texas.

MARY MCGILVRAY DYESS was raised a Presbeyterian, but later joined the Baptist church to be with her husband in raising their children in that faith. She was a wonderful wife and mother, but in 1892, God in His infinite wisdom, saw fit to take her to her Heavenly home. It was in 1892, shortly after the twins were born, she passed away and is also buried in the Mesquite Cemetery.

Most of the John George Dyess line were, or are, of the Baptist faith. Blue eyes and brown or light brown hair seems to be predominant, with some red heads and a few blondes in the descendency. There are several sets of twins in this line.

(The preceding and most of the following information was furnished by Mrs. Hattie Lee Dyess Cockrell, and her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Edgington, both of San Angelo, Texas. Some individuals furnished information on their families, while others were unresponsive to the requests for this information.)

- III. JOHN GEORGE DYESS, born in Georgia in 1841; died in 1918. He was married in 1868 or early 1869 to MARY ANN MCGILVRAY, born October 15, 1850; died March 15, 1892. They were married in or near Laurel, Mississippi and left immediately for Rapides Parish, Louisiana. Both are buried in the Mesquite Cemetery, Hill County, Texas. This couple had:
- A. MELINDA (MILLIE) ROSE DYESS, born March 1870 in Rapides Parish, Louisiana.
 - B. MARTHA (MATTIE) JANE DYESS, born October 8, 1873, in Rapides Parish.
 - C. MARY ELIZABETH (BETTY) DYESS, born September 5, 1874, in Rapides Parish, La.
 - D. ROBERT CHRISTOPHER DYESS, born October 20, 1876, in Rapides Parish, La.
 - E. WILLIAM ED DYESS, born October 26, 1877, in Rapides Parish, La.
 - F. SARAH DIANNE DYESS, born November 11, 1879, in Rapides Parish, La.
 - G. DELPHIA JANE DYESS, born October 10, 1881, in Rapides Parish, La.
 - H. ANGIE LENA DYESS, born August 26, 1883, in Rapides Parish, La.
 - I. RICHARD THOMAS DYESS, born January 20, 1886, in Rapides Parish, La.
 - J. SARAH ANN DYESS, born June 11, 1888, in Hill County Texas.
 - K. HATTIE LEE DYESS, born June 6, 1889 in Hill Co., Tex.

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daughter of Ernest Owen, born July 16, 1913, at Limestone, Arkansas and of Oleta Faye Ayers, born May 16, 1912, at Vivian, Okla. She is a teacher, and he is with the Continental Oil Co. They are Baptist and reside at 3605 Hyde Park, Midland, Texas and they have:

- aa. BRADLEY JASON EDGINGTON, born December 22, 1967, in Bryan, Texas.
 - ab. STEVE OWEN EDGINGTON, born December 19, 1969 in Midland, Texas.
- b. LARRY ELMER EDGINGTON, born December 2, 1942 in San Angelo, Texas. He is a graduate of Texas A&M with a BA in Business Administration. He served a tour as officer in the U. S. Navy and is associated with his father in business in San Angelo. He was married August 30, 2969 to CHERYL CARLSON. They are Baptist, reside at 216 Twin Oaks, San Angelo, Texas and they have:
- aa. LESLIE ANN EDGINGTON, born April 1970.
- c. BETTYE ELAINE EDGINGTON, born November 19, 1947. She is a graduate of a San Angelo high school and attended the University of Texas. She was married July 20, 1968 to DON JONES. They are Baptist and reside at 2403 Gulf Street, Midland, Texas 76901.
6. ROBERT LEE COCKRELL, born February 26, 1918, and married in January 1949 to QUEBELIE MITCHELL and they had:
- a. BOBBIE SUE COCKRELL, born December 23, 1949.
 - b. BARBARA QUE COCKRELL, born January 4, 1952.
7. Unnamed baby stillborn January 13, 1921.
8. RICHARD THOMAS COCKRELL, born June 30, 1923, and was married in 1945 to ANNIE MAE SALTERS WHEELER and they have:
- a. RICHARD RAY COCKRELL, born January 22, 1946.
 - b. DIANNE LOUISE COCKRELL, born June 30, 1949.
 - c. PEGGY LEE COCKRELL, born September 23, 1951.
9. JOHN GEORGE COCKRELL, born December 22, 1924, and married October 22, 1952 to JUANITA LYDIA ZIEHER, born October 22, 1928. They reside on Route 2, Cisco, Texas 76437 and have:
- a. JOHN GEORGE COCKRELL Jr., born July 14, 1953
 - b. PAMELA ANN COCKRELL, born March 29, 1960.

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Chapter Four

SARAH ANN DYESS

- IV. SARAH ANN DYESS, born February 4, 1844, in Georgia; died June 19, 1898, at the age of 54 years, four months and 15 days. She moved with her parents to Jones County, Miss., about 1849. There she met and married WILLIAM SANTFORD BRADY, born in 1844 in Mississippi, son of James and Elizabeth Braddy, both born in North Carolina. James was born in 1807 and Elizabeth in 1810. (See copy of a letter in Chapter 10, addressed to Mrs. Charles K. McHenry, Pineville, La., from Judge Thomas P. Braddy, Supreme Court, State of Mississippi, and a grand nephew of William Santford Braddy.) This couple moved from Mississippi to Rapides Parish, La., (that part now Vernon) between 1869 and 1872. Santford Braddy was a veteran of the Civil War, having served in Co. H, 1st Mississippi Volunteer Infantry. His grave is marked with a CSA marker. He died June 26, 1935 and he, and his wife, are buried in the New Hope Baptist Church Cemetery at Calcasieu, La. They were both Baptist and they had:
- A. NANCY BRADY, born in 1868.
 - B. BETTY BRADY, born in 1869.
 - C. THOMAS CHARLES BRADY, born in 1872.
 - D. JAMES FRANKLIN BRADY, born April 3, 1874.
 - E. B. PETER BRADY, born October 10, 1875.
 - F. MARTHA LEE BRADY, born October 9, 1877.
 - G. WILLIAM S. BRADY Jr., born in 1880 died in infancy.
 - H. PICKENS BRADY, died in infancy.
 - I. POLLY BRADY, born July 15, 1883.
 - J. EDWARD BRADY.
- A. NANCY BRADY, born in 1868 in Mississippi, and moved with her parents to what is now Vernon Parish, Louisiana, about 1870. She married THOMAS JEFFERSON DAVIS, son of Dooley Davis and Charity Ann Franklin. Tom Davis was sheriff of Vernon Parish from 1896 to 1908; state senator in 1908 and was mayor of Leesville, La., from 1918 to 1920. He was at one time or another, a school teacher in Vernon parish and served as police juror, (county commissioner) from 1892 to 1896. Upon the death of NANCY BRADY DAVIS in 1905, T. J. DAVIS married SUSAN BRADY, a first cousin of Nancy and a niece of William Santford Braddy. Nancy Braddy and T. J. Davis had:
- 1. DOOLEY SANTFORD DAVIS, born in 1889.
 - 2. CHARLES I. DAVIS, born in 1891.
 - 3. LUTHER LEANDER DAVIS, born in 1892.
 - 4. AUORA DAVIS, born in 1894. Died in infancy.
 - 5. WILLIAM JENNINGS DAVIS, born in 1896.
 - 6. IRMA ANN DAVIS, born in 1898.
 - 7. THOMAS JEFFERSON DAVIS Jr., born in 1901. Died in infancy.
1. DOOLEY SANTFORD DAVIS, born in 1889 in Vernon Parish, Louisiana. He married M. JOHNSON, born about 1890 and died in 1949 and buried in Stephenville, Texas. He resides at 206

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7. THOMAS JEFFERSON DAVIS Jr., born in 1900. He was married to AVA CLARK and they had:
 - a. JAMES CLARK DAVIS who was killed when his ship, the USS Indianapolis, was torpedoed in the Pacific, in World War II.
 - b. JO ANN DAVIS married JOHNNY B. ROGERS and they live in Austin, Texas.

- B. BETTY BRADDY, born in 1869 in Jones County, Miss. She moved with her parents to Rapides parish, now Vernon, in about 1870. She was married to BENJAMIN FRANKLIN DAVIS, son of Dooley Davis and of Charity Ann Franklin. He was also a brother of T. J. Davis who married Nancy, the sister of Betty Braddy. This couple had:
 1. BETTY DAVIS
 2. WILLIAM SANTFORD DAVIS
 1. BETTY DAVIS married a SMITH and they live in Pitkin, Louisiana and have several children.
 2. WILLIAM SANTFORD DAVIS married LEAVIE (?) LEGG daughter of John and Eliza Legg. This couple had:
 - a. ELMO DAVIS who is married and has children. He lives at Pitkin and for many years, he and his father, at different times, were members of the Vernon Parish School Board.

- C. THOMAS CHARLES BRADDY, born May 14, 1872, in Rapides parish and died November 29, 1912, and is buried in the New Hope Cemetery at Calcasieu, La. He was a school teacher and had served one term as a school board member, and at the time of his death he was in his second four year term as police juror. (Gunt County Commissioner, in most states) He was instrumental in getting the school term lengthened from three and four months, to seven and eight months, finally resulting in our present nine month term. He was a member of the Baptist church, the Masonic fraternity and the Woodmen of the World. He was married to HATTIE CATHERINE SMITH, born March 7, 1874, at Leander, La., died April 10, 1961, and is buried in the New Hope Cemetery. This couple had:
 1. DOROTHY BRADDY, born September 27, 1896.
 2. AITHUS GUSTER BRADDY, born September 29, 1898.
 3. GUTHERIE DOUGLAS BRADDY, born December 14, 1900.
 4. THOMAS BENJAMIN BRADDY, born March 15, 1903.
 5. ELSIE VIOLA BRADDY, born December 25, 1904.
 6. LESSIE ETHEL BRADDY, born June 6, 1907.
 7. JANICE JOY BRADDY, born May 24, 1909.
 8. Unnamed son, born November 29, 1911; died Dec. 8, 1911.
 9. HATTIE ESTELLE BRADDY, born January 18, 1913.
 1. DOROTHY BRADDY, born September 27, 1896, in Elmer, La. She is married to THOMAS WELCH and their address is Presley Street Oakdale, Louisiana 71463.

2. AITHUS GUSTER BRADDY, born in Hineston, La., September 29, 1898. He attended the public schools of Louisiana, and served in World War II, with the 25th Evacuation Hospital in New Hebrides. He is retired and is a member of a Baptist church and of the Masonic Fraternity. He is married to MONA JOHNSON, born in Turkey Creek, Louisiana, daughter of Austin L. Johnson and Della Self. They reside on Highway 165 South, Oakdale, Louisiana 71463, and they do not have children.

3. GUTHERIE DOUGLAS BRADDY, born December 14, 1900. Deceased.

4. THOMAS BENJAMIN BRADDY, born in 1903 at Elmer, Louisiana. Nothing further.

5. ELSIE VIOLA BRADDY, born December 25, 1904, at Elmer, Louisiana. She is married to C. H. TOWNLEY, and they reside on Route 1, Box 68, Oakdale, Louisiana 71463.

6. LESSIE ETHEL BRADDY, born June 6, 1907, in Elmer, Louisiana. She attended the public schools of Louisiana, and on December 31, 1924, at Cora, La., she was married by the Rev. L. M. Nichols to HENRY ALTON HILTON, born June 27, 1901, son of John A. Hilton and Naomi Nichols, both born in Rapides Parish. He died in 1967 and is buried in the New Hope Cemetery. He was, and she is, a member of the New Hope Baptist Church. She resides at 227 Sunset Drive, Alexandria, La. 71301. This couple had:
 - a. GLENWITH INEZ HILTON, born June 11, 1926.
 - b. HENRY AUTRA HILTON, born October 23, 1932.
 - c. KATHLEEN HILTON, born Jan. 26, 1935. Twins
 - d. BILLY GENE HILTON, born Jan. 26, 1935.
 - a. GLENWITH INEZ HILTON, born June 11, 1926 in LaCamp, La. She is a graduate of Oak Hill High School, with a BA in Art from Louisiana College. She is a member of the Order of Eastern Star, the League of Women Voters, and the Art Association. She was married May 19, 1946, in Bloomsburg, Pa., to CHARLES KENNETH McHENRY, born April 19, 1923, son of Kenneth McHenry, born 1900 and of Irene Strauser, born 1901. He is a graduate of the Bloomsburg High School, with a BS from Louisiana College at Pineville and a DC from Palmer Chiropractic College, Davenport, Iowa. He served four years in WWII and was a Staff Sergeant in the 343 Infantry, 66th Infantry Division, in the European Theater of Operations. He is a Mason, a Shriner, a member of the American Legion and VFW, the Kiwanas and the American

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Chapter Five

LYDIA ANN DYESS

- VIII. LYDIA ANN DYESS, born in 1853 in Jones County, Miss. She moved to Cherokee County, Texas in about 1866, and upon the death of her parents, a brother and a sister, she returned with her brothers, Edmond, John George and Thomas to Rapides parish. She was married about 1874 or 1875 to JAMES CROSBY and they had:
- A. JOHN ROBERT CROSBY, born August 14, 1876.
 - B. THOMAS JEFFERSON CROSBY, born December 18, 1878.
 - C. CYNTHIA ELLEN CROSBY, born about 1880.

A. JOHN ROBERT CROSBY, born August 14, 1876, in Vernon Parish, La. He is a Baptist preacher and resides north of Dayton, Texas, near a place called Kenefick on the Trinity River. He was married in 1897 to JEANIE ANN McCULLOUGH, and this couple had:

- 1. LOLA CROSBY, born November 6, 1898.
- 2. JAMES CROSBY, born September 17, 1900.
- 3. JOHN THOMAS CROSBY, born February 26, 1902.
- 4. WILLIAM C. CROSBY, born May 10, 1903.
- 5. IVY CROSBY, born April 1, 1908.
- 6. HARVEY CROSBY, born February 20, 1910.
- 7. CURTIS CROSBY, born February 17, 1912.

1. LOLA CROSBY, born November 6, 1898. She is married to a ROBERTS and lives in Beaumont.

2. JAMES CROSBY, born Sept. 17, 1900. Nothing further.

3. JOHN THOMAS CROSBY, born February 26, 1902. He is deceased. He was a locomotive engineer, and at the time of his death he was traveling engineer for the KCS railroad. His widow resides on Highway 378, West Lake, Louisiana, and they had children including HORACE CROSBY, who is married to HELEN GREEN, and they reside at 4433 Prien Terre, Lake Charles, La. 70601.

4. WILLIAM C. CROSBY, born May 10, 1903. He is a Pentecostal preacher, is married and has several children. He resides in Leesville, La., P. O. Box 1443.

5. IVY CROSBY, born April 1, 1908, and resides at 126 West 46th St., Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

6. HARVEY CROSBY, born February 20, 1910. He is a pipefitter and a Pentecostal preacher. He is married and lives at 3406 Myrtle Springs Road, West Lake, La.

7. CURTIS CROSBY, born February 17, 1912, and

lives at 3359 Las Flores, Lynwood, Calif.

- B. THOMAS JEFFERSON CROSBY, born December 18, 1878, in Vernon Parish, La. and died October 9, 1948. He was married to VIOLA WILLIAMS, born June 2, 1888; died February 19, 1948, daughter of Albert Wilson Williams. They had:
- 1. T. J. (Initials only) CROSBY, born May 11, 1925.

1. T. J. CROSBY, born May 11, 1925. He is a graduate of Leesville (La.) High School and of Louisiana College at Pineville, La. and attended New Orleans (Baptist) Seminary in New Orleans. He is pastor of the Central Baptist Church in Pineville and is a member of the Masonic fraternity. He was married September 1, 1945 to GERALDINE HAYMON, born September 8, 1927, daughter of Gossett Haymon and Ada McKee. They reside at 2711 Lake St., Pineville, La. 71360, and they have:

- a. SANDRA LYNN CROSBY, born July 19, 1946.
- b. THOMAS CLAYTON CROSBY, born June 2, 1948
- c. SONJA RUTH CROSBY, born February 6, 1951
- d. CRAIG THOMAS CROSBY, born March 18, 1965

a. SANDRA LYNN CROSBY, born July 19, 1946 and married KENNETH HAROLD BAGGS, son of W. T. Baggs of Hornbeck, La. They reside in Hornbeck.

b. THOMAS CLAYTON CROSBY, born June 2, 1948 and married MARY LEE PARKER of Hornbeck, La.

c. SONJA RUTH CROSBY, born February 6, 1951, and is married to EMMETT DALE MILLER. Married January 24, 1970.

d. CRAIG THOMAS CROSBY, born March 18, 1965 and is a student.

C. CYNTHIA ELLEN CROSBY, born about 1880 and married HENRY FLETCHER. They had a least one child, IMA FLETCHER, who married E. P. RHODES, and she resides at 921 Marion, Port Neches, Texas.

LYDIA ANN DYESS, some time after 1880, divorced JAMES CROSBY, and later married MAYO (?) WEST in DeRidder, La., and they had two or more children. Nothing is known of the descendants of this couple. She is buried in the cemetery located about three miles east of down-town DeRidder, on the Lake Charles highway.

The information which we were able to gather was furnished by John Robert Crosby of Dayton, Texas, and the Rev. T. J. Crosby, Pineville, La.

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Chapter Six

THOMAS FRANCIS DYESS

IX. THOMAS FRANCIS DYESS, born September 17, 1855, in Jones County, Mississippi. He left Jones county about 1865 with his parents and other members of the family, settling in Cherokee County, Texas, near Rusk. When he was about 13 years of age, his mother, father, and a brother and sister died within 24 hours of each other. After this tragic event, he moved to Rapides Parish, La. with his brother, Edmond, and a sister, Lydia, later to be joined by another brother, John George, who had gone back to Laurel to get married. It appears that he lived with Edmond until he reached adulthood, when in 1879, he married SABRA ELLEN WILSON, born September 3, 1853, in Jackson County, Mississippi, daughter of Frank Wilson, and Sarah Matilda Bird.

Sometime after their marriage, he applied for land under the Homestead Act, and was granted the NE 1/4 of Sec 36 Tp 2 of R 6 W La. Mer., consisting of 160 20/100 acres. This land is situated near Big Creek, with the, at that time, Cora, La., post-office, being the closest place to receive mail. This land is now part of the Fort Polk firing range and maneuver area.

A thorough search of the marriage records at Alexandria, parish seat of Rapides, has been made and there is no record of their marriage there, even though the marriage records for that era are in excellent shape. Upon inquiry at the Vernon Parish Clerk's Office at Leesville, county seat of Vernon Parish, and the parish in which they were living, it was found that the marriage records starting in 1872, when the parish was created, until 1890, had been lost for many years. A copy of a lawsuit, in the Document Section of this book, Chapter 10, will verify the marriage, but not the date of it.

Thomas Francis Dyess, died January 31, 1898, at his home, as a result of one of those "kitchen-table, wash basin" operations, performed on him for goiter. They say, it surely meant death if it was not done, so he gambled, and lost. He is buried in what is now known as Upper Mt. Moriah Cemetery, about one mile north or northwest of the present Mount Moriah Baptist Church and Cemetery.

Sabra Ellen Dyess was a charter member of the Mount Moriah church, which was organized some time in the 1880's, and was located near what is now known as Upper Mt. Moriah. The building burned sometime near 1900 and was moved to the present location and another cemetery started. She died of a stroke, July 31, 1921, at 2017 Moeling St., Lake Charles, La., where she was visiting friends. She is also buried in Mt. Moriah, next to her husband. She was a wonderful Christian lady, and was an active worker in the Baptist church. In about 1917 she was converted to the Pentecostal faith, and she was just as strong in that faith as she had been in the

Baptist faith. This couple had:
A. THOMAS FRANCIS DYESS Jr., born October 25, 1880.
B. SARAH CAROLINE DYESS, born January 15, 1882.
C. WILLIAM EDWARD (or EDWIN) DYESS, born September 11, 1883.
D. NANCY MATILDA DYESS, born January 28, 1885.
E. JAMES SEABORN DYESS, born February 8, 1887.
F. LYDIA ANN DYESS, born October 28, 1888.
G. LUCY JANE DYESS, born April 27, 1890.
H. LUELLA BELLE DYESS, born December 20, 1891.
I. JOHN JEFFERSON DYESS, born February 26, 1893.
J. DRUCILLA GERTRUDE ANNA DYESS, born January 1, 1895.
K. BETTY VIRGINIA DYESS, born March 12, 1897.

A. THOMAS FRANCIS (FRANK) DYESS, born October 25, 1880, in Vernon Parish, La. He had worked in the oil and timber industry in his earlier years, but was retired as custodian of schools for the French Independent School District in Beaumont. He was living in Woodville, Texas at the time of his death and is buried in Blue Branch Cemetery, near Pitkin, La. He was married in about 1907 to NINNIE LEGG, daughter of John and Eliza Legg. She died February 24, 1934, and is also buried in Blue Branch Cemetery. This couple had:
1. INEZ DYESS, born November 4, 1909.
2. RUBY DYESS, born October 3, 1910.
3. GUY O. DYESS, born March 11, 1916.
4. NOLA DYESS, born October 11, 1918.

1. INEZ DYESS, born November 4, 1909 in Pitkin, La. She moved to Beaumont about 1925, and April 26, 1926, she was married to VERNON PLATT of Beaumont. They live on Route 1, Box 34, Woodville, Texas 75799 and they have:
a. BILLIE FAYE PLATT, born Dec. 20, 1927.
b. JOYCE PLATT, born February 11, 1929.
c. LEON PLATT, born January 11, 1931.
a. BILLIE FAYE PLATT, born December 20, 1927. She was married first to RENE SONNIER and they had:
aa. GLORIA SONNIER, born August 15, 1945. She was adopted by Vernon and Inez Platt and is married and has at least one child.
BILLIE FAYE married second W. R. (RUSTY) HAYNES. He is with Haliburton Co. and for several years has worked foreign. His work has carried him to various countries in Europe, the middle east, South America, Australia, and in 1971 they were in Trinidad. They have:
ab. BILLIE RAE HAYNES, born March 29, 1948.
ac. LARUE HAYNES, born December 16, 1949.
ad. VICKIE HAYNES, born May 28, 1951.
ae. KATHY HAYNES, born July 8, 1952.
b. JOYCE PLATT, born February 11, 1929.

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THE FRANK WILSON FAMILY

Due to the many marriages between the WILSON and DYESS families, it was thought that it would be a good idea to include as much information on the WILSON family as possible.

Very little is known of the ancestry of this family. The information we do have is that which has been passed on to us by the descendants of FRANK WILSON, and his wife, SARAH BIRD, and these descendants are the first to agree that in some cases it could not necessarily be reliable, due to the passage of time, poor memories, and lack of documentation. We hope that the clues we offer will be the start of serious research by some descendant of this family or by some other person interested in this line.

A son of SABRA WILSON DYESS, and a grandson of FRANK WILSON, WILLIAM EDWARD DYESS (ED), told the compiler in 1966 that his mother was born was born near the confluence of either Black or Red Creek and the Pascagoula River, in Jackson County, Miss. HARVEY GOLEMON, grandson of FRANK WILSON, and son of JANIE WILSON GOLEMON, made the statement on March 8, 1968, that his mother was born about 25 miles northwest of Pascagoula, Miss. According to the map, these two locations would proximate each other.

The death certificate of SABRA ELLEN WILSON DYESS, (On file in the Bureau of Vital Statistics State of Louisiana, at New Orleans) shows her birth place as Jackson County, Mississippi, and while the same certificate shows her mother's name as NANCY BIRD, we know this to be in error, probably by one of the children furnishing the information on their mother inadvertently confused it with the name of their father's mother, NANCY JENKINS DYESS. We know that the correct name of the wife of FRANK WILSON was SARAH MATILDA BIRD. Mrs. JOSEPH B. DYESS, a granddaughter of the WILSONS was named SARAH MATILDA for her grandmother. A grave in the Upper Mt. Moriah Cemetery is simply marked SARAH WILSON. Mr. DOUSAY, a man living in the vicinity of this cemetery, and who knows the history of the cemetery, said the grave marked SARAH WILSON was that of the wife of FRANK WILSON, who was the mother of all of the WILSONS who have descendants in that area. DEWITT WALLACE, a maintenance-of-way foreman for the Texas-Pacific Railroad is a descendant of SARAH MATILDA BIRD WILSON and that his mother was also named SARAH MATILDA after her grandmother.

It has been said that FRANK WILSON and his father were large plantation owners and slave holders in Mississippi; he probably inherited some of this from his father. After the Civil War, the slaves being free, there was too much land to be worked by the family and without money with which to hire it done, they sold the land for practically nothing and started "west." We do know they moved to the Vernon-Rapides area some time between 1865 and 1870. According to the stories told in most families, when their folks left Georgia, Alabama or Mississippi, they left because they were broke and could not work the plantations after the slaves were free. The story related above, may or may not be true.

FRANK WILSON is buried in Fellowship Cemetery near Hineston, La., next to the POWELL plot. Next to his grave are the

graves of two of his daughters, Lula Wilson, who married Bailey Golemon, and Janie Wilson, who married George Golemon. These three graves are unmarked and were pointed out to the compiler, by Mrs. Sarah Matilda Smith Dyess, granddaughter of Frank Wilson, on December 22, 1969, in the presence of her son, the Rev. B. G. Dyess of Alexandria, La.

FRANK WILSON, born ca. 1820 and married SARAH MATILDA BIRD. They moved from Jackson County, Mississippi, to the Vernon-Rapides parish area of Louisiana between 1865 and 1870. They had these children, but not necessarily in the order shown.

ALBERT (AL.) WILSON, married EMMA DYESS, daughter of EDMOND DYESS, and they had:
ALLIE (ALBERT Jr. ?) WILSON, married FANNIE GRAY.
MARGARET WILSON, married JAMES DONALDSON.
HERMAN WILSON, died young.
EDMOND WILSON, never married.
JESSE WILSON, married BESSIE STROTHER.
BAILEY WILSON, never married.
THOMAS WILSON, married JESSIE STROTHER.
JANIE (JANE ?) WILSON, married NELSON GREEN.

BILL (WILLIAM ?) WILSON, married MARY JANE MUSSELWHITE. It is said that very seldom did Bill Wilson wear a pair of shoes; in fact, he was known as "Barefoot" Bill Wilson. This couple had:

JACKSON (JACK) WILSON, married LAURA RICHEY.
HENRY WILSON, married PEARL LANSDALE.

JEFFERSON WILSON, married BELLE BUSBY and they had:
VIRGIL WILSON, never married.
ZODIE WILSON, died when he was 14.
BESSIE WILSON, married ROBERT POE.
ESSIE WILSON, married JOHN TOLBERT.
AUDREY WILSON, married BEN SQUIRES (SQUYRES ?).
WILLIAM WILSON, married ELLA WALLACE.

JOHNNY ALLEN WILSON, married MARY MADDOX, and they had:
PHILONESE WILSON, married a WATSON.
Twins, died young.
LUTHER WILSON, married MARY DYESS, daughter of Jim Dyess. (See Dyess genealogy.).
LIZZIE (ELIZABETH ?) WILSON, married JOHN MELDER.
ZADIE WILSON, married ABNER POLLARD.
CARRIE (CAROLINE ?) WILSON, never married.
JANIE (JANE ?) WILSON, married GEORGE GOLEMON, and they had:

WILLIE GOLEMON, married MARY GRAY.
JAMES GOLEMON, married ADDIE NOLEN.
JEFFIE (JEFFERSON ?) GOLEMON, married first NETTIE WARREN, and second, FLORENCE WARREN, sister of his first wife, and by his first marriage, he had three children, two of which were:
MILLARD F. GOLEMON, who married MYRTLE HOUSTON.
BESS GOLEMON.
HARVEY GOLEMON, married ANNIE LEGG, daughter of John and ELIZA LEGG.
ADA GOLEMON, twin of IDA, below, married ALFRED O'NEAL.
IDA GOLEMON, married JOHN CASE, and lives in Highlands, Texas.

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We have previously asserted that the ancestry of THOMAS D. is not known; neither do we know, with any degree of certainty who his brothers and sisters, if any, were. However, in the following we will offer some documents, statements and similarity of names upon which we base our belief that one GEORGE DYESS and his wife ELIZABETH were the parents of the children shown including our THOMAS D. DYESS.

In chapter 10 of this book, you will find where ELIZABETH DYESS, WILLIAM C. DYESS and ISAAC V. McGRADY were appointed administrator and bondsmen for JOHN H. DYESS, orphan of GEORGE DYESS. (Bonds Book B, page 98, Stewart County, Court of the Ordinary, Lumpkin, Georgia.) The ISAAC McGRADY shown above is presumed to be a son-in-law of GEORGE and ELIZABETH DYESS, as the marriage records of Stewart County, Ga. records the marriage of SARAH ANN DYESS and ISAAC McGRADY on July 7, 1842, and you will note that the administrator and bondsmen appoint was made March 5, 1845, which leads us to the presumption that McGrady was the son-in-law of George Dyess.

You will also find in Chapter 10 a will of one THOMAS DYESS, dated July 1, 1826, and on file in Monroe County, Forsyth, Ga. It is believed by some that this was the father of GEORGE DYESS mentioned above. Upon further study of the dates in the two documents, we have concluded that such is not possible. However, we would not rule out the possibility of this GEORGE and THOMAS being brothers.

We believe that the following are brothers and sisters and the children of GEORGE and ELIZABETH DYESS, some of which are mentioned in the document referred to in Chapter 10.

THOMAS D. DYESS, born in Georgia in 1812.
GEORGE W. DYESS Jr. born in Georgia in 1813.
WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER DYESS, born in Georgia in 1819.
WINFIELD S. DYESS, born in Georgia in 1825.
JOHN H. DYESS, born in Georgia in 1827.
SARAH ANN DYESS, born in Georgia in 1829.

MATH DYESS and FRANK DYESS, sons of JAMES ERASMUS DYESS and grandsons of WILLIAM C. (BILLY) DYESS, made the statement to JAMES J. LIVESAY, of Jackson, Mississippi, that among the brothers and sisters of WILLIAM C. DYESS were GEORGE and JOHN DYESS, but he could not recall the names of the others.

The grandmother of the compiler, SABRA ELLEN WILSON DYESS, wife of THOMAS F. DYESS and daughter-in-law of THOMAS D. DYESS, once said that her father-in-law had four brothers and they all left Georgia about the same time, one or two stopping in Alabama, but eventually all of them were in Mississippi where they remained when he left for Texas.

Notice, also, that GEORGE W. DYESS Jr., and THOMAS D. DYESS served in Captain Jarnigan's Company of the Georgia Mounted Volunteers, Stewart's Rangers, in the Creek Indian War of 1836. While this does not prove anything, it could be indicative of close family ties.

THOMAS D. DYESS was married in Stewart County, Ga. in 1837.
SARAH ANN DYESS was married in Stewart County, Ga. in 1842.
WILLIAM C. DYESS was married in Stewart County, Ga. in 1845.

By 1850, all of the men believed to be brothers had left Stewart county. Two of them, Winfield S. and John H., were in Alabama in 1850, and THOMAS D., GEORGE W., and JOHN H. are in Mississippi in the same year. By 1860, you will find all five of them in Mississippi.

As you go along, notice the similarity of names given to the children.. I especially call your attention to the children of THOMAS D. DYESS where he uses a part of or a combination of the names of his children as of those whom we are presuming to be his brothers and sisters with a couple of exceptions. His oldest son EDMOND, is shown in the 1850 census as SCOTT, but this is believed to be a "nick-name" for the brother, WINFIELD SCOTT. THOMAS D. DYESS, it is believed, had a brother named VIOLATHA, or VIOLATTA, a twin of SARAH ANN, and who died young. THOMAS D. named one of his sons VIOLATHA or VIOLATTA, and who also died young. The unusual name shows up several times in research. One of his daughters was named SARAH ANN and this presumed sister was named SARAH ANN. WILLIAM and JOHN were two of his children's names as were two of his presumed brothers.

GEORGE W. DYESS Jr., born in 1813, in Georgia; died April 8, 1898 in Gilbert, Mississippi. He served in the Creek Indian War in 1836 in Captain Jarnigan's Company of Georgia Mounted Volunteers, Stewart's Rangers. He enlisted June 20, 1836, and his physical description at the time of enlistment was shown as blue eyes, dark hair, dark complexion, and six feet and three inches in height. He received a land grant for his service in 1836, by an Act of Congress in 1855. He also received a pension for this service. He married first November 5, 1835, in Stewart County, Ga., to CAROLINE HORTON, born in 1818; died in 1855 in Macon County, Ala. This couple had:

- I. THOMAS DYESS, born in 1838 in Georgia.
- II. SARAH DYESS, born in 1842 in Georgia.
- III. WILLIAM DYESS, born in 1844 in Georgia.
- IV. BENJAMIN DYESS, born in 1847 in Georgia.

He married second in Clark County, Mississippi, in 1864, to BARBARA JANE BIGSBY and they had:
V. JOHN O. DYESS, born in 1865 in Mississippi.
VI. EZEKIEL DYESS, born in 1867 in Mississippi.

Notice the names THOMAS, WILLIAM, JOHN and SARAH, which is the same names as the children of THOMAS D. and of the presumed brothers and sister of THOMAS D. and GEORGE W.

(1850 census of Stewart County, Ga.; marriage records of the same county; 1860 census records of Macon County, Ala.; 1870 census records of Mississippi and the Department of Archives, General Services Administration, Washington, D.C.)

We do not have further information on the descendants of this couple.

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WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER DYESS, born April 2, 1819, in Georgia, died July 31, 1885. He is buried in the Pleasant Grove Methodist Church Cemetery, east of Waynesboro, Mississippi. He was a charter member and charter steward of this church. It appears that he left Stewart County, Ga. in the early 1850's, and stopped in Choctaw County, Alabama, for a short period and by 1860 was in Wayne County, Mississippi and settled in the Thompson's Creek area. This was an unsettled land and the forests were teeming with every kind of wild life from the meanest animal to the most docile. Judging from the stories told, he decided to leave this location because the panther and bear killed his dogs. They next moved to the place now known as the DYESS BRIDGE, not far from the Pleasant Grove Methodist Church. He was married May 1, 1845, in Stewart County, Ga., to MARTHA A COKER, (CROCKER), born September 2, 1818. She is also buried in the Pleasant Grove Cemetery. This couple had:

- I. WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS DYESS, born Sept. 10, 1847.
- II. E. N. DYESS, born in 1848 in Georgia.
- III. LIZA DYESS, married BUDDY McILWAIN.
- IV. ARTHIE DYESS, married ABIJAH HAMILTON GANDY.
- V. LIZZIE DYESS, born in 1849, married MART WHITNEY.
- VI. JIM (ERASMUS) DYESS, born in 1854. Married first to MANDY BRIGHT; married second to TILA (?) BAGENT.
- VII. FRANCIS (FRANK) DYESS, born in 1855, married ELIZABETH McRAE.
- VIII. THEODORE DYESS, married JENNIE WILKINS.
- IX. MARTHA DYESS, born in 1860.

The 1850 census of Stewart county, shows living with the above family, GEORGE AQUILLA DYESS, born 1846, son of GEORGE A. DYESS. (Notice the name AQUILLA shows up again. Who was this George Aquilla and what connection, if any, does he have with the above family?)

The marriage records of Stewart County, Ga. show the maiden name of the wife of WILLIAM C. DYESS as MARTHA A. CROCKER, while all of the family records indicate that it was COAKER or COKER. This could possibly be an error in the county records, made when they were transcribed at some time in the past.

It would appear that all of the children of WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER DYESS and MARTHA DYESS reached adulthood with the exception of E. N. DYESS and MARTHA DYESS. There seems to be no record of these two, either public or family.

Some information on the descendants of the WILLIAM C. DYESS and MARTHA A. DYESS.

I. WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS (LUM) DYESS, born September 10, 1847, in Georgia. He married ARTIMISSA V. WILLIAMS, born February 2, 1850, in Alabama, and died March 13, 1905. The family of ARTIMISSA V. WILLIAMS were from Bruton, Alabama, and while headed west in two ox wagons and nightfall caught them in the vicinity of the DYESS BRIDGE settlement, and the BILLY DYESS family took them in. This act of kindness cost him a farm hand because LUM took a fancy to ARTIMISSA and before long they were married, and that gave her family an excuse to also settle in that community. Her father fought in General Reed's army in the Civil War, and he helped pick up the dead after the Battle of Dade's Massacre. Her uncle, Daniel Horne was a U. S. Senator from Florida or Alabama. This couple had:

A. DAUGHTER, died in infancy.

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- B. WILLIAM CICERO DYESS, married SARAH FRANCES GANDY.
- C. JAMES LEONARD DYESS, more later.
- D. ERASMUS DYESS, married JIM O'QUINN
- E. LORA DYESS, married SUE GANDY.
- F. BENJAMIN (BEN) ELIJAH DYESS, more later.
- G. ROBERT DYESS, married THELMA PETTUS.
- H. GEORGE DYESS, married LILLY BELL WILKINS.
- I. MATH DYESS, married RUBY BARNETT.
- J. JOHN DYESS, married HATTIE WILKINS.
- K. ED DYESS, married CORA DAVIS.
- L. ANNIE DYESS, married CHARLIE McCOY.

- C. JAMES LEONARD DYESS, date of birth not known, died June 4, 1960, and is buried in Pleasant Grove Cemetery near Waynesboro, Miss. He was married to ALICE McRAE, who died August 26, 1960. This couple had:
 1. ROY DYESS, born November 2, 1901.
 2. OLA DYESS, born August 27, 1905.
 3. FLORA DYESS, born December 16, 1907.
 4. MYRTLE DYESS, born March 19, 1910.
 5. ANNIE G. DYESS, born August 1, 1913.
 6. MARIAN DYESS, born May 14, 1916.
 7. HELEN OMEGA DYESS
 8. JAMES EDISON DYESS, born July 19, 1920.

1. ROY DYESS, born November 2, 1901, in Wayne Co., Miss., married ALICE DAVIDSON, and they had:
 - a. WILLIE MACK DYESS, born August 19, 1937.
 - b. DOROTHY ANN DYESS, born May 10, 1940.

a. WILLIE MACK DYESS, born August 19, 1937, married JUANITA _____ and they had:
aa. JULIE DYESS
ab. _____

b. DOROTHY ANN DYESS, born May 10, 1940, married JAMES STEWART, and they had:
aa. JUNE DALE STEWART
ab. ROSS STEWART
ac. CHRISTOPHER STEWART

2. OLA DYESS, born August 27, 1905, in Wayne Co., Miss. She is a member of the Methodist church and of the Order of Eastern Star and is a school teacher. She is married to AGNEW BRADLEY. and they have:
 - a. JAMES BARKLEY BRADLEY, born August 8, 1945, in County, Miss.
3. FLORA DYESS, born December 16, 1907, in Wayne County, Mississippi. She is a teacher and is married to CECIL COLEMAN and they have:
 - a. BARBARA COLEMAN, born August 20, 1934, in Wayne County, Mississippi.
 - b. MARY ELIZABETH COLEMAN, born October 2, 1937, in Wayne County, Mississippi.
4. MYRTLE DYESS, born March 19, 1910, in Wayne Co., Mississippi. She is a teacher in the Waynesboro schools and is the Historian of the DYESS Reunion in Waynesboro. She is married to FOSTER

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- MILLS. They reside on Route 4, Box 71, Waynesboro, Miss. 39367, and they have:
- a. FOSTER MALCOLM MILLS, born September 28, 1936.
 - b. ROBERT SCOTT MILLS, born June 14, 1942.
 - c. VIVIAN LEIGH MILLS, born April 9, 1944.
 - d. LONNIE RAY MILLS, born August 15, 1945.
- b. ROBERT SCOTT MILLS, born June 14, 1942, married PEGGY ANN RILEY, and they have:
 - aa. MARGIE ANN MILLS
 - d. LONNIE RAY MILLS, born August 15, 1945, married MARY ANN RIGNEY and they have:
 - aa. RAYMOND MILLS.
5. ANNIE G. DYESS. Nothing further.
6. MARIAN DYESS, born May 14, 1916, married OLIVER GOLDSMITH BROWN III, and they have:
- a. OLIVER GOLDSMITH BROWN IV, born December 3, 1940.
 - b. LILLIAN DIAN BROWN, born March 2, 1942.
 - c. CECILE GEORGE BROWN, born October 24, 1945.
- a. OLIVER GOLDSMITH BROWN IV, born December 3, 1940, married CAROL WHITEHAIR, and they have:
 - aa. OLIVER GOLDSMITH BROWN V.
7. HELEN OMEGA DYESS, married JESSE S. MURRAY, and they have:
- a. LEONARD PATRICK MURRAY, born Feb. 12, 1940.
 - b. JANE EMLEY MURRAY, born Aug. 17, 1942.
 - c. JUDY JOSEPHENE MURRAY, born Nov. 4, 1945.
- a. LEONARD PATRICK MURRAY, married NELDA JENKINS and they have:
 - aa. JESSIE MURRAY
 - b. JANE EMLEY MURRAY, born August 17, 1942, married STEVE MORGAN, and they have:
 - aa. SHELLIE MORGAN.
8. JAMES EDISON DYESS, born July 19, 1920. Name of wife not known. They had:
- aa. GAY SUSAN DYESS
 - ab. JIMMY DYESS
 - ac. DARLENE DYESS
- F. BENJAMIN (BEN) ELIJAH DYESS, born March 30, 1880, in the Dyess Bridge settlement, about eight miles east of Waynesboro, Miss., and died September 14, 1960, and is buried in the Mt. Zion Cemetery, near Waynesboro. He was a Baptist, a farmer, and had served as deputy Sheriff and game warden. He was married to DURA IDELL COOPER, born September 13, 1891, in Coffeville, Ala., and they had:
1. LAUDIS OLIVIA DYESS, born January 10, 1912.
 2. JOSEPH CULLEN DYESS, born July 12, 1913; died January 10, 1915.
 3. FRAZIER PAUL DYESS, born January 17, 1915.

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4. WILMAALVIS DYESS, born December 15, 1916.
5. LINNIE OPAL DYESS, born June 12, 1918.
6. LEWIS AUSTIN DYESS, born December 2, 1920.
7. BONNIE IDELL DYESS, born March 29, 1923.
8. FEWELL GASTON DYESS, born November 25, 1925.
9. CHESTER EDWARD DYESS, born September 14, 1928.
10. BENNIE CLYDE DYESS, born April 13, 1932.

1. LAUDIS OLIVIA DYESS, born January 10, 1912, in the Denham community, east of Waynesboro, Miss. She is married to ELI WASHINGTON STRAHAN, born September 25, 1909, in Lumberton, Miss. They are members of the Assembly of God church, reside at 608 Latham St., Waynesboro, Miss. 39367, and they have:
 - a. JAMES BENJAMIN STRAHAN, born April 1, 1942.
 - b. MARY JEANETTE STRAHAN, born November 8, 1943.
 - c. RUTH OLIVIA STRAHAN, born March 30, 1945.
 - d. REBEKAH EVELYN STRAHAN, born December 26, 1946

- a. JAMES BENJAMIN STRAHAN, born April 1, 1942, in Mobile, Alabama. He attended Jones County, (Miss), Junior College, and is in the United States Air Force. He is married to MARTHA HUEY, they are members of the Assembly of God Church and they have:
 - aa. MARTHA CATHALEEN STRAHAN, born Feb. 23, 1964, in San Jose, California.
 - ab. DAVID STRAHAN, twin, born August 4, 1965, in Waynesboro, Mississippi.
 - ac. DEBORAH STRAHAN, twin, born August 4, 1965, in Waynesboro, Mississippi.

- d. REBEKAH EVELYN STRAHAN, born December 26, 1946, in Waynesboro, Mississippi. She attended Waynesboro High School, and is married to HOWARD REYNOLDS, they are members of the Assembly of God church, reside in Waynesboro, Mississippi, and they have:
 - aa. DEBORAH DARLENE REYNOLDS, born August 3, 1965, in Waynesboro, Mississippi.

2. JOSEPH CULLEN DYESS, born July 12, 1913, and died January 10, 1915.
3. FRAZIER PAUL DYESS, born January 17, 1915, in the Denham community of Wayne County, Miss. He served in the Army in WW II and is an inventor and is the owner of a machine firm and is engaged in the cleaning of oil drilling equipment. He is married to ALICE JAMLIONE, born August 2, 1918, in Golden Meadow, La. They reside in Golden Meadow, La., and they have:
 - a. ELAINE DYESS

4. WILMAALVIS DYESS, born December 15, 1916. She is married to GEORGE FRANK LONG, and they reside in Waynesboro, Mississippi.

5. LINNIE OPAL DYESS, born June 12, 1918, in the

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- Denham community of Wayne County, Mississippi. She is married to BIRRI SANDERSON, they reside on Route 2, Waynesboro, Mississippi 39367, are Baptist, and they have:
- a. SYBIL JOSEPHINE SANDERSON, born April 27, 1938, in Waynesboro, Mississippi.
 - b. SANDRA ALVIS SANDERSON, born January 22, 1940, in Waynesboro, Mississippi.
 - c. WILLIAM GLEN SANDERSON, born October 30, 1941, in Waynesboro, Mississippi.
6. LEWIS AUSTIN DYESS, born December 2, 1920, in the Denham community of Wayne County, Miss. He attended Central High School and is a navy veteran of World War II. He is married to MIRIAM LEE and they are Baptist, reside in Isney, Ala., and they have:
- a. NINA JO DYESS, born July 5, 1943.
 - a. NINA JO DYESS, born July 5, 1943, in Waynesboro, Mississippi. She is married to ROBERT MOODY. They reside in Isney, Ala., and they have:
 - aa. SONJA MOODY, born November 11, 1963, in Waynesboro, Miss.
 - ab. WILLIAM GREG MOODY, born September 22, 1965, in Waynesboro, Miss.
7. BONNIE IDELL DYESS, born March 29, 1923, in the Denham community of Wayne County, Miss. She attended Central High School and was married first to JOE MORRIS, and they had:
- a. PAUL RAY MORRIS, born August 28, 1944, in Satsuma, Ala.
- She married second GARLAND HAYS. They reside in Satsuma, Ala., and they have:
- b. BETTY VIRGINIA HAYS, born January 29, 1957, in Satsuma, Ala.
 - c. JERRY WAYNE HAYS, born April 22, 1959, in Satsuma, Ala.
 - d. ROSE MARIE HAYS, born May 22, 1961.
 - e. BONNIE REGINIA HAYS, born November 2, 1962.
8. FEWELL GASTON DYESS, born November 25, 1925, in the Denham community of Wayne County, Miss. He attended Central High School and was in the U.S. marines in World War II. He is Field Manager for the Lance Company and is married to MARY STACY. They are Baptist, reside on Colonial Oak Circle in Mobile, Ala., and they have:
- a. JOHNNIE MAX DYESS, born February 28, 1954.
 - b. DONNA LYNN DYESS, born October 9, 1955.
 - c. CARL EDWARD DYESS, born January 25, 1962.
9. CHESTER EDWARD DYESS, born September 14, 1928, in the Denham community of Wayne County, Miss. He attended the University of Omaha and served 20 years in the United States Air Force. He is married to BILLIE ROGERS, born in Bucatanna, Miss.

They are Baptist, reside in Waynesboro, Miss., and they have:

- a. LINDA DIANE DYESS, born October 30, 1948, in San Antonio.
- b. CAROL JAN DYESS, born August 6, 1955.

10. BENNY CLYDE DYESS, born April 13, 1932, in the Denham community of Wayne County, Mississippi. He attended Central High School and is a construction worker. He is married to BONNIE BUSBY, they are Baptist and reside in Mobile, Ala. and they have:
- a. GARY MICHAEL DYESS, born August 14, 1952.
 - b. FREDRIC BENJAMIN DYESS, born May 30, 1956.
 - c. DAVID ANTHONY DYESS, born August 28, 1966.

II. E. N. DYESS, born 1848 in Georgia. No further record, either public or family. Presumed to have died young.

III. ELIZA DYESS, married BUDDY McILWAIN. Nothing further.

IV. ARTHURIE DYESS, married ABIJAH HAMILTON GANDY. Nothing further.

V. ELIZABETH (LIZZIE) DYESS, born in 1849. She married first LOUIE BEZARD, and they had:

- A. ANA BEZARD
- ELIZABETH DYESS married second MART WHITNEY, and they had:
 - B. WILLIAM SHELTON WHITNEY
 - C. SWEP WHITNEY
 - D. HOMER HENRY WHITNEY
 - E. MARGIE ESTELLE WHITNEY

A. ANA BEZARD married JOHN WILSON, and they had:

1. INUS (?) WILSON

B. WILLIAM SHELTON WHITNEY married BELLE McILWAIN and they lived in Wayne County, Mississippi.

C. SWEP WHITNEY married first MAMIE GILBERT and second MRS. JERRY TEW, and they lived in Wayne County

D. HOMER HENRY WHITNEY, married CORA McRAE and they lived in Wayne County, Mississippi.

E. MARGIE ESTELLE WHITNEY, married NOEL R. GANDY and they lived in Wayne County, Mississippi.

VI. JIM ERASMUS DYESS, born in 1854, married first MANDY BRIGHT, and they had:

- A. HUGH DYESS
- B. EMANUEL DYESS
- C. ATHA DYESS
- D. VICTORIA DYESS
- E. MARTHA LOU DYESS

A. HUGH DYESS married DICIA BAGENT and they lived in Bucatanna, Miss.

B. EMANUEL DYESS married ESTELLE DUNN and they lived

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in Laurel, Mississippi.

C. ATHA DYESS married TOM BAGENT and they lived in Waynesboro, Mississippi.

D. VICTORIA DYESS married JIM MURRAY and they lived in Waynesboro, Mississippi.

E. MARTHA LOU DYESS married JOHN LAFAYETTE DYESS and they lived in Clark County, Miss. JOHN LAFAYETTE DYESS was known as "FATE" DYESS and was born in Neshoba County, Miss., son of CICERO DYESS and they moved to Clarke county when he was 10 years of age.

VII. FRANCIS (FRANK) DYESS, born in 1855, and married ELIZABETH McRAE, and they had:

- A. W. C. DYESS
- B. WALTER DYESS
- C. ERNEST DYESS
- D. MAC G. DYESS
- E. BLANCHE DYESS
- F. LULA DYESS
- G. IDA DYESS
- H. NANCY (NANNY) DYESS

A. W. C. DYESS married SARAH McILWAIN.

B. WALTER DYESS married _____ and lived in Mobile, Ala.

C. ERNEST DYESS married ALINE _____ and lived in Ellisville, Mississippi.

D. MAC G. DYESS never married.

E. BLANCHE DYESS married a Mr. GEDDIE and lived in Laurel, Mississippi.

F. LULA DYESS married a Mr. McBride and they lived in Laurel.

G. IDA DYESS married a Mr. Richey and lived in Laurel.

H. NANCY (NANNY) DYESS married (?) and lived in Laurel, Miss.

VIII. THEODORE DYESS married JENNIE WILKINS and moved to St. Tammany parish, near Covington, La., where he remained and where many of his descendants are now, one of whom is WILLIAM P. (BILL) DYESS and his wife BELVA who live in Folsom, La.

information on the presumed brothers and sisters of THOMAS DYESS, preceding and following was furnished in part from census records, Department of Archives, Washington, and Department of Archives, Montgomery, Ala., and from J. J. Live-
Jackson, and Myrtle Mills and Laudis Strahan, Waynesboro.

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Credit for some information cannot be given each individual responsible, as it was furnished to, and published by the DYESS Reunion at Waynesboro, however, Mrs. Mills furnished the information on the JAMES LEONARD DYESS descendants and Mrs. Laudis Strahan supplied that on the BENJAMIN (BEN) ELIJAH DYESS descendants.

WINFIELD S. DYESS, born in 1825 in Georgia. In the 1850 Census of Stewart County, Ga., ELIZABETH DYESS is living with him. This, presumably, is his mother, the widow of GEORGE DYESS, mentioned in the appointment as administrator of the guardianship of JOHN, the orphan of GEORGE DYESS. (See Chapter 10). By 1851, they had left Stewart County, Ga. The 1860 Census of Coffee County, Ala. lists NANCY STRICKLIN, age 71, born in Georgia in 1789, as residing with this family. It is also the presumption that this person would be the mother of the wife of WINFIELD S. DYESS.

WINFIELD S. DYESS married CAROLINE EMELINE STRICKLIN, born in 1825, in Georgia. By 1870, according to the 1870 Census of Wayne County, Miss., this family is living in that county. All of the children shown in the census of 1850 and 1860 are not shown in the 1870 census, with the family. This would be accounted for by reason of marriage, and possibly the death of some.

WINFIELD S. DYESS and his son, GEORGE S. DYESS, both enlisted September 25, 1863, in Coffee County, Alabama, as privates in the company for local defense, commanded by Captain John C. Brown in the Alabama Reserves, Barber's Battalion, Alabama Cavalry, Confederate Army. The physical description of WINFIELD S. DYESS is given as 38 years of age, six feet one inch tall, and dark eyes and complexion. The physical description of GEORGE S. DYESS was shown as being 19 years of age, five feet, five inches in height, and gray eyes, and complexion and hair being dark.

WINFIELD S. DYESS and CAROLINE EMELINE STRICKLIN had:

- I. GEORGE S. DYESS, born in 1844, in Stewart Co., Ga.
- II. SIMPSON or SAMPSON DYESS, born in 1847, in Stewart co.
- III. NANCY E. DYESS, born in 1849, in Stewart County, Ga.
- IV. GATNEY M. R. DYESS, born in 1851, in Coffee Co., Ala.
- V. VIALATHA DYESS, born in 1853, in Coffee County, Ala.
- VI. WINFIELD S. DYESS Jr., born in 1855, in Coffee Co., Ala.
- VII. DAVID F. DYESS, born in 1857, in Coffee County, Ala.
- VIII. TIMMY DYESS, born in 1862.
- IX. SALLY (SARAH) DYESS, born in 1864.
- X. SINTON DYESS, born in 1867.

Nothing further on the descendants of this couple.

JOHN H. DYESS, born in 1827, in Georgia and married MATILDA CARTER. This is believed to be the same JOHN who was mentioned as the orphan of GEORGE DYESS in the appointment of his mother, ELIZABETH, as administrator in 1845. (See chapter 10)

SARAH ANN DYESS, born in 1829, in Georgia and married July 7, 1842, to ISAAC V. McGRADY, in Stewart County, Georgia. This we believe to be the sister of THOMAS D. DYESS. She probably remained in Stewart county when her people started their westward move.

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Chapter Nine

Some DYESS Names
Picked Up In Research
But Not Known To Be Related
To
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This chapter is devoted to DYESS names picked up in research on the THOMAS D. DYESS line, but not known to be connected. It also contains, in part, other DYESS lines, which likewise, have no known connection to the THOMAS D. DYESS line.

It is the consensus of opinion of most of the DYESS families in various parts of the country, that most of the people of the DYESS name, or from it, are from the same ancestor, here in America. It is also the belief of several different people, in the several different lines, that the name in America came from Wales. Their belief is based on stories handed down from generation to generation, but without documentary evidence.

I offer the following quotations and statements in the hope that someone may find a clue for further research.

Statement by LEONARD DYESS, Wayne Co., Miss., 1952.

"The DYESS' came from Wales. At one time in their westward movement they settled in Stewart County, Ga. They had left Wales to escape heavy taxes. The family left Georgia and came to Choctaw County, Ala. Grandpa Dyess, (W. C. C. "Billy") stopped in Choctaw and later moved from there to the Thompson Creek area of Wayne county. One of the early DYESS' went back to Wales and was not heard from again." (Leonard Dyess said that the man who went back to Wales was the father of W.C. "Billy" DYESS, but more recent information from MATH DYESS and JAMES ERASMUS "RAZ" DYESS indicates that it was an uncle of W. C. "Billy" DYESS.

Statement given to James J. Livesay, Jackson, Miss.

By MATH DYESS of Wayne County, Miss.

"The DYESS originally came from Wales. W. C. "Billy" DYESS, my grandfather, was born in North Carolina. (All evidence indicates this to be in error. The father of "Billy" was probably born in North Carolina.) My father, W. C. C. "Lum" DYESS, was born in Stewart County, Georgia, near Lumpkin. They moved from there to Enterprise, Coffee County, Alabama, later to Choctaw County, Alabama, then to Wayne County, Mississippi." (He, Math, copied this from "an old Welsh Bible." We just wonder in whose possession, in Wayne county, this "old Welsh Bible" could be.)

Statement by WILLIAM EDD DYESS, descendant of

THOMAS D. DYESS to MILLARD F. MARTIN.

"According to tradition in my family, our ancestor came from Wales to Virginia, in the 1630's. After he was in the New World for a few years, and had a good year farming, he paid, with tobacco, the ship's passage for the girl who was to become his wife.

Paragraph from a letter from Judge RICHARD DYESS, Albany,

Texas, December 30, 1964, to Millard F. Martin.

Both are descendants of THOMAS D. DYESS.

"Our DYESS' are from Wales. They joined Lord Oglethorpe and settled in Georgia in 1732."

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The following is from the Rev. Tony Q. Dyess, 3803 Deerfoot Drive, Chattanooga, Tenn. 37406.

ALLEN WATSON DYESS, born in 1850, in Jackson, Miss., died in August 1931, in Lubbock, Texas. He was married to SUSAN WALKER HUDSON and they had:

1. THOMAS DYESS, nothing further.
 2. TONY Q. DYESS, born December 1881.
 3. ESTELLE DYESS, married a TODD. Nothing further.
 4. LINDY DYESS, married a KINCANNON. Nothing further.
 5. IRENE DYESS, married a McDONALD. Nothing further.
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2. TONY Q. DYESS, born December 1881, in Brazos County, Texas, and died August 18, 1927, in Lubbock, Texas. He was married to MARY MATILDA MURPHY, and they had:
 - a. NELLY MAUDE DYESS, born July 27, 1902, in Wilbarger, Texas.
 - b. TONY REUBEN Q. DYESS, born April 9, 1910, in Thalia, Texas, and is married to JOYCE AREY. He is a Methodist minister and they reside at 3803 Deerfoot Drive, Chattanooga, Tenn.
 - c. RAYMOND THOMAS DYESS, born May 14, 1913, in Vernon, Texas.

The following was furnished by the Rev. Fred Dyess, who at that time, March 1966, was pastor of the First Baptist Church, Krotz Springs, La., but who is not there now.

"My paternal grandfather was George Winfield Dyess.
My paternal grandmother was Sada Mae Byrd.
My maternal grandmother was Martha Sasafroonia Mosley.
My maternal grandfather was T. W. Mosley.
My grandfather, George Dyess, had by his marriage to Martha Mosley:
George Dyess, deceased.
Joseph Dyess, deceased.
Willis Dyess, Route 4, Robertsedale, Alabama.
Edward Dyess, Crestview, Fla.
Manuel Dyess, Route 4, Lucedale, Mississippi
Ada Dyess, married a Cooper and lives on Route 1, Robertsedale, Ala.
Mollie Dyess, married a Dasher and lives at 315 Betty Road, Crestview, Fla.
After the death of Martha Mosley Dyess, George Dyess married Rosie Phillips and they had:
William Dyess
Corell Dyess
Esther Dyess

My father, Cecil Isiah Dyess, was born in Alabama, lived in Robertsedale, Ala., and did not leave until I was 11 years of age. His address is Route 4, Box 593-A, Gulfport, Miss.

The following information is from an obituary appearing in and Alexandria, La. newspaper in the late 1960's. The children of this couple, as shown, are not necessarily in the order of their birth.

EZEKIEL DYESS, born 1865-1870 in Mississippi. He left Mississippi, (Laurel vicinity) after his marriage to ANNIE ANDERSON, and they settled near Jena, La., at Dry Prong. The names of all of their children are not known, but they did include:

Mrs. I. N. Ates, 113 Leah St., Pineville, La. 71360.

Huey C. Dyess who married Mary Honeycutt. She was drowned in Trout Creek, near Jena, La., at the age of 71, in the late 1960's. This couple had, but not necessarily in the order shown:

- a. EDGAR S. DYESS, died in Houston in June of 1969. His widow resides at 1230 Kinley, Houston, Texas 77018.
- b. CLARICE DYESS married ALWELL and lives in Houston.
- c. CARLENE DYESS married BURNS and resides at 1310 Camden, Pasadena, Texas.
- d. MATTIE DYESS married PENN and resides in Shreveport, La.
- e. DORIS DYESS married McCawley and lives in Shreveport.
- f. CORRENE DYESS married BEEBE and lives in Shreveport.
- g. COLLENE DYESS married RODRIGUES and lives in Ponchatoula, Louisiana.

While we do not have anything definite, and nothing to base an assumption on except the age of EZEKIEL DYESS, and his place of birth, furnished by some of the descendants, it is quite possible that he is the same EZEKIEL DYESS, born in Mississippi in 1867, son of George W. DYESS Jr., and his second marriage, which was to BARBARA JANE BIGSBY. (See page 97.)

The information below was acquired during research, from public documents, from descendants, GARON DEMPSEY DYESS, 1515 McNutt Drive, Alexandria, La. 71301, and all of the information on the descendants of THOMAS EDGAR DYESS, and his two wives, ANGELINE ROBBINS and JULIA AMELIA ROBBINS, was assembled by Mrs. AUSTIN H. (AGNES DYESS) BAHM, 573 North 6th St., Baton Rouge, Louisiana and Route 1, Box 155, Carson, Mississippi 39427. We appreciate the work done by MISS MARIE ILES, 2325 Lee St., Alexandria, La. 71301. She is secretary to Garon Dyess, and in researching her own lines, picked up much information on the DYESS name. At the annual DYESS reunion in Pineville, La., May 6, 1972, the reunion unanimously adopted Marie and made her an "honorary cousin," which gave her all the rights and privileges of a descendant of THOMAS D. DYESS, including that of holding office in the reunion.

This written statement, by ALBERT DYESS, son of WILLIAM DYESS, grandson of JOHN DYESS and great grand son of DEMPSEY DYESS, was written sometime before he died in 1950. He does not give it a date and this will be copied as near as possible

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4. ELIZABETH (LIZZIE) McPHAIL married HARDY MURRAY.
5. ANNIE McPHAIL married HENRY NATION.
6. MINERVA McPHAIL married the Rev. RICHMOND MURRAY.
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2. JASPER DYESS killed in a horse race at age 19. He was engaged to AMANDA ROBBINS.
3. JACK DYESS married first EDDIE SHIVERS and second to SARAH LOTT.
4. AMANDA DYESS married STEVE SHIVERS.
5. WILLIAM DYESS married MARTHA (MATTIE) BASS.
6. ALBERT GALTIN DYESS, born October 10, 1870. (More later.)
7. MARTHA (MATTIE) DYESS married JOHN ROBERTSON of Gloster, Mississippi.
8. SARAH (SALLY) DYESS married JONAH KING.

6. ALBERT GALTIN DYESS, born October 10, 1870, and died May 10, 1950. He was married April 30, 1890, to MARTHA ESTHER BLOUNT, and they had:

- a. BUFORD LARKIN DYESS, born May 12, 1892, and died June 12, 1959. He was married May 21, 1911, to LULA JOHNSON.
- b. WILLIAM BLOUNT DYESS, born August 22, 1894.
- c. ROBERT GASTON DYESS, born January 6, 1898.
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- ae. HILDA MARIE DYESS, born October 19, 1921.
- af. VONC DYESS, born March 21, 1924.
- ag. FLORA MAE DYESS, born January 21, 1927.
- ah. GARON DEMPSEY DYESS, born February 10, 1930.

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- aaa. BETTY CATHERINE DYESS, born May 22, 1945, married GARLAND BRIGGS RYAN, and they had:
 - baa. DEREK HOLT RYAN, born June 5, 1970.

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- aaa. BILLY DONALD WILLIAMSON, born February 1, 1935.
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- aga. KENNETH MIKELL WILLIAMSON, born Dec. 12, 1946.
- aha. DUDLEY WILLIAMSON, born July 23, 1948.
- aia. GARY DALE WILLIAMSON, born August 13, 1949.

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- baa. JAMES DONALD WILLIAMSON, born Oct. 30, 1957.
- bab. ANTHONY POLK WILLIAMSON, born Nov. 25, 1960.
- bac. PATRICK NEIL WILLIAMSON, born Dec. 2, 1961.

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- baa. DAVID FELSENTAL WILLIAMSON, born March 19, 1953.
- bab. JOHN LEVIS WILLIAMSON, born Feb. 7, 1962.

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"Your correspondent was at a wedding at Fullerton, La. on 8th inst.; the contracting parties were W. R. Martin of Pitkin and Lucy Dyess of Fullerton, La. The ceremony was performed by the Hon. Jerome Jackson at the residence of the Widow Dyess, at eight o'clock P. M., in the presence of the largest assembly the writer has ever seen at a wedding celebration.

"At the conclusion of the wedding ceremony, the nuptials were tendered a rice reception, and the way the rice flew around the premises would have been a sin in the eyes of a rice eating Argus of the Orient.

"Among those present were Joseph LaCaze, Rev. Dave Richey, Major Gill, John Smith and Frank Self.

"The best of order and quietude was in evidence throughout the proceedings.

"With the hope that the Toiler force will have a Merry Christmas, I will close.

Annie Jackson"
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From the Beaumont Journal, Beaumont, Texas, Friday
February 13, 1970.

Mrs. Lucy Plake 79, of 3017 Blanchette, died at 1:25 A.M. today in Milam Nursing Home, No. 1.

Funeral services will be held at 11:30 A. M. Saturday in the Carroll-Wallace Funeral Home, 1685 Park. Graveside rites will be conducted at 3 P. M. Saturday in the Martin Cemetery, Pitkin, La.

Mrs. Plake is survived by two sons, Millard F. Martin of Houston and Roy E. Martin of Singapore; two stepsons, Jay R. Plake Jr. of Cortez, Colo., and H. N. Plake of Beaumont; two daughters, Mrs. Agnes Brunson of Beaumont and Mrs. Bethel Plake of Melbourne, Australia; four stepdaughters, Mrs. Nellie Halfin of Houston, Mrs. Opal Martin of Singapore, Mrs. Emma Jean Stanley of Port Neches and Mrs. Mollie Ann James of Green Bay, Wisc.; one sister, Mrs. Betty George of Beaumont; 10 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be grandsons, Thomas L. Plake Jr., Robert "Bob" Plake, Eddie Plake, Jimmy Glen LaComb, Sherold E. Martin II and Millard F. Martin II.

The Rev. B. H. Millstid officiated at the chapel and at the graveside and the prayer at the graveside was by the Rev. A. J. Magee of Pitkin.

Mrs. Plake, a native of Vernon Parish, lived in Beaumont 46 years. She was a member of the Lamar United Pentecostal Church.

Following is a clipping from the Shreveport Times, Section A, page 18, March 18, 1971.

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Mrs. Robert C. (Sabra B.) Martin Jr., 3512 Lakeland St., died at 7:45 A. M. at P&S Hospital after an illness of several months. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2:30 P. M. at Osborn Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Forest Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Martin was a graduate of the Northwestern State University and the old Tri-State Hospital School of Nursing. She was employed by the Bossier Parish School Board, working as school nurse at the Bossier Parish Health Unit.

She was a member of the Shreveport District Nurse's Association and the American Red Cross.

Mrs. Martin was a member of the Westminster Presbyterian Church and the Rev. George Hutchins, pastor, will officiate at the funeral.

She was a native of Pineland, Texas, but had been a resident of Shreveport for many years.

Mrs. Martin is survived by her husband, Robert C. Martin Jr. chief air conditioning engineer for the City of Shreveport; two daughters, Miss Margaret Ann Martin, education and medical writer for the Shreveport Times; Mrs. John R. (Debby) Cole of Honolulu, Hawaii; two brothers, LaVerne Brown and Jay T. Brown, both of Chicago, Ill., and one grandson, Jeffery Cole, also of Honolulu.

Pallbearers will be J. B. Thompson, Dr. L. V. Landry, David B. Hamilton, Dave C. McGinnes, Zack T. Hinckley Jr., John Tomlinson, Harold Denny and Homer Ferguson.

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1850 Census of Jones County, Mississippi.

House No.	Name	Age	Sex	Occupation	Birth place
79	James Braddy	43	M	Farmer	N.C.
	Elizabeth	40	F	Hswife	N.C.
	Addison	16	M		Miss.
	Franklin	13	M		Miss.
	John	11	M		Miss.
	Polly	10	F		Miss.
	Sanford	6	M		Miss.
	Pickens	4	M		Miss.

1880 Census of Vernon Parish, La.

Name	Color	Sex	Age	Relationship	Occ.	Born	Father	Mother
Wm. S. Braddy	W	M	35		Farmer	Miss.	S.C.	S.C.
Sarah A.	W	F	35	Wife	Hswife	Ga.	Ga.	Ga.
Nancy	W	F	12	Dau.	at home	Miss.	Miss.	Ga.
Betty	W	F	11	Dau.	"	Miss.	Miss.	Ga.
Thomas	W	M	8	Son	"	La.	Miss.	Ga.
Franklin	W	M	6	Son	"	La.	Miss.	Ga.
Martha	W	F	2	Dau.	"	La.	Miss.	Ga.
William S.	W	M	6/12	Son	"	La.	Miss.	Ga.

Census taken June 14, 1880, by Chas. K. Oakes, Page 20 & 21.

Note the 1880 census wherein William S. Braddy shows that his mother and father were born in S. C., whereas the 1850 census by their own statement shows it as N. C. More than likely a lapse of memory or misunderstanding.

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LAWRENCE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI MARRIAGE RECORDS

GROOM	MARRIED TO	YEAR	BOOK	PAGE
DYESS, CHRISTOPHER	PATSY COOPER	1826	1	277
DYESS, JOSHUA	SELENA HAMBREEK	1826	1	293
DYESS, JOHN W.	HARRIET KING	1835	2	146
DYESS, THOMAS	AMELIA ROBBINS	1874	6	126
DYESS, GRANVILLE	AGGIE BANISTER	1893	B	55
DYESS, J. L.	TISHIE McPHAIL	1898	C	226
DYESS, J. N.	BELLE TOLAR	1896	B	543
DYESS, W. H.	MATTIE BASS	1890	A	174
DYESS, GEO. WASH'N	CARRIE McPHAIL	1904	E	182
DYESS, JAMES M.	AMANDA McPHAIL	1902	D	339
DYESS, JAMES V.	POLLYE RUTH PENNINGTON	1947	L	176
DYESS, JOHNIE R.	GLORIA JUNE SHRUGGS	1958	M	175
BRIDE	MARRIED TO			
DYESS, MARY	JOHN ABRAMS	1825	1	241
DYESS, MENNIE	JOSEPH COOPER	1829	2	3
DYESS, AMANDA	S. H. SHIVERS	1887	8	309
DYESS, MARY	J. W. CARDIN	1894	B	220
DYESS, NANCY	TURNER STEPHENS	1895	B	312
DYESS, BRAZZIE	JAMES REED	1898	C	168
DYESS, MAUDE	WILLIE REID	1929	I	140
DYESS, MYRTLE	DARCE KYZAR	1938	J	533
DYESS, ANNIE	JORAH LEEPER	1920	H	140
DYESS, CHARLOTTE N.	BILLY HUGH HATHORN	1963	N	325
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The following is recorded in Bonds Book B, page 98, May 8, 1945, Clerk of the Ordinary, Lumpkin, Georgia.

Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth Dyess William C. Dyess Isaac V. McGrady are held firmly bound unto the Justice of the Inferior Court sitting as a court of ordinary and their successors in office in the just sum of one thousand dollars payable by the said Elizabeth William C & Isaac V or either of them their heirs executors administrators or assigns jointly & severally to be paid on condition that the said Elizabeth shall do & perform all the duties of Guardianship of the person and property of John H. Dyess orphan of George Dyess deceased as the law requires of her otherwise to remain in full force power & virtue.

Witness our hands and seals this 5th day of March 1845.

her
s/ Elizabeth X Dyess (L.S.)
mark

s/ W. C. Dyess (L.S.)

M. Grisham CCO

s/ Isaac V. McGrady (L.S.)

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The following will is recorded in Monroe County at Forsyth, Georgia.

A copy of the original is in the files of the compiler.

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In the name of God, amen. I, Thomas Dyess of the state and county aforementioned, being in a low state of health, tho sound in mind and memory, knowing that it is once appointed for emn to die and after death to be judged do make and ordain this to my last will and trstament, thereby disposing of effects which it has pleased God to bless me with it is now and forever, following viz:

Item 1. I give and bequeath to my wife, Mary Dyess, the lot of land No 173 in the 12th District, whereon I now live; my Negroes, Dinah, Gracey and Andy, also five cows and calves and my stock of hogs, two horses and my household and kitchen furniture and my personal tools for and during her natural life.

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In presence of

James D. Lester

Thomas M. Evans

Thomas W. Robinson

his
s/ Thomas x Dyess -seal-
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Martha Dyess and John McPhails children were, John, Jim, Harriet and Mary. Frank Dyess and Pasha Kings children were Sally, Jim Florence, Jack Jasper, Oma. Jack Dyess and Mellesias children were Mary Prentiss, Tip, Ed, Net, Nan and Wade. Pasha Dyess and Henry Dunns children were John, Frank, Susanna and Lizzie. Betty Dyess and Ike Hill and Andrew Robbins didn't have any children. Jim Dyess and Mollye Cooks children were Jim and Mary. Tom Dyess and Angeline Robbins children were Frank Dyess married Pasha Bass, Mack and Wylie, died as children. Mary Dyess married John Garden, Angeline died and he married Amelia Robins, their children were John Dyess, he married Amanda McPhail, Lorina Dyess married Sam Smith, Sam married EMMA Ivans, Paul married Pattie Buchanan and Nancy Blackwell. Washington Dyess married Carrie McPhail. Eugene Dyess married Maud McPhail after her death he married Millie Bass. Albert Dyess married Pasha King. Joe Dyess married Olive Pierce."

WILLIAM DYESS, husband of BETSY DYESS, died about 1800, in Barnwell County, S. C. According to land transactions of that county, shown on pages 110 and 111, there are three sons involved in these transactions. In the statement of Mr. Albert G. Dyess of Blountsville, (now Prentiss), Mississippi, shown starting on page 116, indicates there were four other sons. The three involved in the land transactions are DEMPSEY, WILLIAM and JOHN. In Albert's statement, he says the brothers of Dempsey were GEORGE, KIT, (short name for CHRISTOPHER) JOSH (JOSHUA) and TOM. (This could well be the same GEORGE whom we believe to be the father of our THOMAS D. DYESS. All of the dates would allow us to make such a deduction.) We will attempt to show, in part only, the descendancy of one of these sons, that being:

DEMPSEY DYESS, born in 1785, son of William and Betsy Dyess, left Barnwell County, S. C. about 1810, was in Alabama in 1812, (See page 111, Passports through Georgia.), and in Mississippi by 1820. (See census records in Chapter 10) In the 1860 Census of Jasper County, Mississippi, his wife is shown as MARTHA, and both born in South Carolina. According to the earlier census records he had more than the five children which Albert Dyess mentioned in his statement. It could have been that only five of them reached adulthood. The names of the daughters are not known, but according to Albert Dyess the oldest daughter married EPHERM (Ephriam ?) GREEN and they moved to the Bay of Biloxi. The family is still there. The second girl married a Burkes and the third a Walder. These families are still in Newton and Jasper counties. (Mississippi). Dempsey's sons, John and William (Bill) went to Covington County, Mississippi and later John moved to Monticello, Lawrence County, Mississippi. We do not have the genealogy of William Dyess, but will show, in part, that of JOHN DYESS.

I. JOHN DYESS, born in 1812 in Alabama, married May 12, 1835,

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- to HARRIETT KING, born January 29, 1810 in North Carolina; died December 25, 1880. This couple had:
- A. CAROLINE DYESS, born June 8, 1836; died October 12, 1914. She married JOHN McPHAIL.
 - B. WILLIAM DYESS, born November 30, 1837; died May 11, 1928. He was married to SARAH RAWLES.
 - C. PATIENCE DYESS, born 1839, married HENRY DUNN at Brookhaven, Mississippi.
 - D. FRANCIS M. DYESS, born 1841 and married PASHA KING.
 - E. JOHN (JACK)DYESS, born in 1842 and married MELISSA HILL.
 - F. ELIZABETH DYESS, born in 1844. Married first to IKE HILL and second to ANDREW ROBBINS.
 - G. MARTHA DYESS, born in 1846 and married first MACK WARD and second to JAKE McPHAIL.
 - H. JAMES DYESS, born in 1847 and married MOLLYE COOK from Croville, (?), La.
 - I. THOMAS DYESS, born August 27, 1849; died September 3, 1902. He was married first to ANGALINE ROBBINS and second to AMELIA ROBBINS.
- A. CAROLINE DYESS, June 8, 1836, and died October 12, 1914. She was married to JOHN McPHAIL, and they had:
 1. ELAINE McPHAIL
 2. WILLIAM McPHAIL who married JANE ROBBINS.
 3. PARTHENIA McPHAIL married LAWRENCE KING.
 4. ELIZABETH (LIZZIE) McPHAIL married HARDY MURRAY.
 5. ANNIE McPHAIL married HENRY NATION.
 6. MINERVA McPHAIL married the Rev. RICHMOND MURRAY.
 7. MIRANDA McPHAIL married ESTUS TYRONNE.
 - B. WILLIAM (BILL) DYESS, born November 30, 1837 and died May 11, 1928. He was married to SALLY RAWLES (SARAH), and they had:
 1. DICIE DYESS married RED MILLER.
 2. JASPER DYESS killed in a horse race at age 19. He was engaged to AMANDA ROBBINS.
 3. JACK DYESS married first EDDIE SHIVERS and second to SARAH LOTT.
 4. AMANDA DYESS married STEVE SHIVERS.
 5. WILLIAM DYESS married MARTHA (MATTIE) BASS.
 6. ALBERT GALTIN DYESS, born October 10, 1870. (More later.)
 7. MARTHA (MATTIE) DYESS married JOHN ROBERTSON of Gloster, Mississippi.
 8. SARAH (SALLY) DYESS married JONAH KING.
 6. ALBERT GALTIN DYESS, born October 10, 1870, and died May 10, 1950. He was married April 30, 1890, to MARTHA ESTHER BLOUNT, and they had:
 - a. BUFORD LARKIN DYESS, born May 12, 1892, and died June 12, 1959. He was married May 21, 1911, to LULA JOHNSON.
 - b. WILLIAM BLOUNT DYESS, born August 22, 1894.
 - c. ROBERT GASTON DYESS, born January 6, 1898.
 - d. CALVIN MONROE DYESS, born August 16, 1900.
 - e. JASPER (SHADY) DYESS, born November 8, 1902.
 - a. BUFORD LARKIN DYESS, born May 12, 1892, and died June 12, 1959. He was married to LULA JOHNSON, born December 11, 1894, and they had:
 - aa. CARVER HOLT DYESS, born November 17, 1912.
 - ab. EDNA MAE DYESS, born December 12, 1914.

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- ab. HERSHEL LARUE DYESS, born March 31, 1927,
married SHARON LOFTIN, and they have:
 - aaa. RICKY DYESS, born August 21, 1960.
 - aba. RANDY DYESS, born June 26, 1962.
 - aca. RENAEE DYESS, born November 21, 1965.
 - ada. TIMOTHY DYESS, born April 28, 1969.
 - aea. KIMBERLY DYESS, born April 28, 1969.
- ac. CHARLIE MIRL DYESS, born June 20, 1931, mar-
ried CURTIS CRANFORD, and they have:
 - aaa. CHARLOTTE CRANFORD, born August 12, 1952
 - aba. TOMMY CRANFORD, born May 26, 1954.
- ad. SHANNON DYESS, born April 12, 1936, married
first BETTY PEAK and they had:
 - aaa. TONY WAYNE DYESS, born September 17, 19-
57.
 - SHANNON DYESS married second YVONNE ESTERLING
and they had:
 - aba. WANDA DYESS, born October 12, 1960.
 - aca. DARRYL DYESS, born April 29, 1962.
 - ada. DAN CALVIN DYESS, born March 9, 1964.
- 7. MATTIE (MARTHA ?) DYESS, married JOHN ROBERTSON of Glos-
ter, Mississippi.
- 8. SALLY (SARAH ?) DYESS, married JONAH KING.
- C. PATIENCE (PASHA) DYESS, born in 1839, married HENRY DUNN
and they had:
 - 1. JOHN DUNN
 - 2. FRANK DUNN
 - 3. SUSANNA DUNN
 - 4. LIZZIE (ELIZABETH ?) DUNN
- D. FRANCIS M. (FRANK) DYESS, born in 1841, married PASHA KING
and they had:
 - 1. SARAH (SALLY) DYESS
 - 2. JAMES (JIM) DYESS
 - 3. FLORENCE DYESS
 - 4. JACK DYESS
 - 5. JASPER DYESS
 - 6. OMA DYESS
- E. JOHN (JACK) DYESS, born in 1842, married MELLISSA HILL and
they had:
 - 1. MARY DYESS
 - 2. PRENTISS DYESS
 - 3. TIPTON (TIP) DYESS
 - 4. ED DYESS
 - 5. NET (NETTIE ?) DYESS
 - 6. NAN DYESS
 - 7. WADE DYESS
- F. ELIZABETH (BETTY) DYESS, born in 1844; died in 1931. Mar-
ried first to IKE HILL and second to ANDREW ROBBINS. No
children by either marriage.
- G. MARTHA DYESS, born in 1846, married first to MACK WARD and

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- and second JOHN McPHAIL, and they had:
2. JOHN McPHAIL
 3. JAMES McPHAIL
 4. HARRIETT McPHAIL
 5. MARY McPHAIL

- H. JAMES DYESS, born in 1847, married MOLLIE COOK from Croville, La., and they had:
1. JAMES DYESS
 2. MARY DYESS

- I. THOMAS EDGAR DYESS, born August 27, 1849, near Hattiesburg, Mississippi, and died September 3, 1902. He was a carpenter and farmer, but judging from the following genealogy, his most successful crop was that of children. He had seventeen children by two wives. He enlisted in the Confederate Army at a very young age, and being too young for combat, he was assigned to a hospital where it was his job to help scrounge for food and to help take care of the sick and wounded. He had such an assignment in Chattanooga, and was later transferred to a hospital in Virginia. It was while serving in the latter place that he received news of the illness of his wife. He was granted a leave and left for Mississippi on a horse. This was near the end of the war and he never returned. The wife who was sick was the one of the first marriage, ANGALINE ROBBINS. Shortly after their marriage, near Hattiesburg, they moved to Covington County, Mississippi. He was a charter member of the Green's Creek Baptist Church. (Feet-washing Baptist) The two children born to this couple were:

1. MARY DYESS, born September 23, 1865.
 2. WILLIAM FRANK DYESS, born January 26, 1869.
- THOMAS EDGAR DYESS married second, December 12, 1874, to JULIA AMELIA ROBBINS, and they had:
3. JOHN ABSALOM DYESS, born September 11, 1875.
 4. THOMAS MARION DYESS, born December 2, 1876.
 5. JAMES MONROE DYESS, born September 28, 1878.
 6. PAUL CALVIN DYESS, born February 8, 1880.
 7. SARAH LAURENIA DYESS, born October 29, 1881.
 8. SAMUEL LAFAYETTE DYESS, born January 13, 1883.
 9. GEORGE WASHINGTON DYESS, born April 27, 1884.
 10. ALBERT BROWN DYESS, born November 13, 1885.
 11. NELLIE ANN DYESS, born March 2, 1887.
 12. EDGAR EUGENE DYESS, born September 3, 1888.
 13. CHARLIE IVAN DYESS, born June 15, 1890.
 14. JOEL JACKSON DYESS, born May 23, 1892.
 15. WALTER L. DYESS, born September 27, 1893.
 16. ROBERT W. DYESS, born May 6, 1895.
 17. JONIE E. DYESS, born May 8, 1899; died September 1, 1901.

1. MARY DYESS, born September 23, 1865, and died May 14, 1959. She was married to JOHN CARDEN, and they had:
 - a. ANGE'INE CARDEN who married JIM McNEECE.
 - b. MINNIE CARDEN who married MIKE RAYNES.
 - c. TOM CARDEN
 - d. WILLIS CARDEN
 - e. LELA CARDEN who married JAKE SANDERS.
 - f. CLARA CARDEN who married TOM ADAMS.

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- g. MAGGIE CARDEN who married PETE LITTLE
 - h. FRANK CARDEN who married REBECCA SMITH.
 - i. The last child was also shown on the information received as WILIS CARDEN. This is evidently an error, as there is a WILLIS shown prior to this.
2. WILLIAM FRANK DYESS, born January 20, 1869, and died February 20, 1926. He was married to PASHA BASS, and they had:
- a. THOMAS FRANK DYESS, born September 9, 1905, died June 17, 1925.
 - b. HESTER DYESS, born August 10, 1910, married SHIRLEY DAVIS.
 - c. MONROE DYESS, born May 2, 1902, married February 20, 1926, to AUDIMISSIE RICHARDSON.
 - d. CLEO M. DYESS, born May 11, 1911, died March 23, 1941. Was married to NUET DIXON.
3. JOHN ABSALOM DYESS, born September 11, 1875, in Jefferson Davis County, Mississippi. He attended the Green's Creek School, was a member of the Green's Creek Baptist church and of the Masonic Lodge at Bassfield, Miss. He was a farmer and September 9, 1896, he was married to BEULAH BLOUNT, and they had:
- a. MOLLYE DYESS, born August 28, 1898, married December 30, 1917, to GARLAND L. ARMSTRONG, and they had:
 - aa. MYNOR ARMSTRONG, born October 24, 1920, married October 8, 1938, to LEO SAULTERS, and they had:
 - aaa. GLEN DALE SAULTERS, born August 17, 1939, married February 17, 1957, to ELESENE STEVENS, and they have:
 - baa. SABRENA SAULTERS, born November 14, 1960
 - aba. RENETT SAULTERS, born May 1, 1948, married January 30, 1967, to GEORGE DYESS, and they have:
 - baa. CHANTAE DYESS, born December 25, 1967.
 - ab. GARLENE ARMSTRONG, born June 2, 1923, married November 22, 1941, to FRANK E. McNEASE, and they have:
 - aaa. BILLIE FAYE McNEASE, born July 24, 1944, married November 22, 1963, to DENNIS BEDWELL and they have:
 - baa. LISA BEDWELL, born September 7, 1966.
 - bab. EDWIN O'NEAL BEDWELL, born Oct. 6, 1969.
 - ac. GARLAND L. (JACK) ARMSTRONG Jr., born February 10, 1937, married ELIZABETH KIRLEY, and they have
 - aaa. BEVERLY ARMSTRONG, born January 3, 1966.
- b. HINDS DYESS, born June 30, 1900, died May 26, 1910.
- c. ESTUS DYESS, born August 30, 1902, married August 30, 1932, to ZELL LOUIS.
- d. RUTH MAE DYESS, born May 17, 1905, married December 26, 1926, to KELLY SMITH, and they have:
 - aa. KENDOLL LAMAR SMITH, born May 11, 1928, died May 30, 1965. He married May 5, 1955 to

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- g. THOMAS CLYDE DYESS, born June 1, 1912, married Oct. 26, 1940, to RUBY RANDOLL, and they have:
aa. MADRIS DYESS, born October 1, 1945, married 15, 1969, to GENE R. MORGAN.

ab. MYRTLE LEGENE DYESS, born March 16, 1948.

4. THOMAS MARION DYESS, born December 2, 1876, in the Green's Creek Community of Jefferson Davis County, Mississippi. He was a farmer, a deacon in the Green's Creek Baptist Church, and was married to PARENTHIA BASS, and they had:

a. WILEY THOMAS DYESS, born October 9, 1902, in the Green's Creek Community, where he resides, and is a farmer. He was married October 2, 1921, to IDA LEE REID, and they have:

aa. DEWEY MARION DYESS, born August 21, 1923. He is a carpenter and resides in Columbia, Miss. He was married November 11, 1940, to JUANICE PIERCE and they have:

aaa. RUBY EARL DYESS, born October 1942 and died in October 1942.

aba. GLENVILLE TERRELL DYESS, born July 18, 1944, married March 5, 1965, to CHRISTINE WHITE, and they have:

baa. ANTHONY TERRELL DYESS, born Apr. 26, 1967

bab. MELISSA KAYE DYESS, born Sept. 24, 1968

aca. LARRY DUANE DYESS, born Oct. 25, 1949, married Feb. 19, 1970 to MARY SUE NOLAN.

ada. MARILYN KAYE DYESS, born Sept. 24, 1957. (ad-
opted)

ab. DELTON JAMES DYESS, born August 25, 1925, and is a carpenter and lives in the Green's Creek Community. He was married January 17, 1948, to HELEN JEAN HERRINGTON, and they have:

aaa. SHARON JEAN DYESS, born November 16, 1949, and was married June 27, 1969 to JAMES HOWARD BREWER.

aba. JAMES ELTON DYESS, born November 14, 1950, married May 22, 1971, to JOYCE LUCAS.

aca. THOMAS EDWARD (TED) DYESS, born Dec. 25, 1953

ada. JOHN DARRELL DYESS, born June 1, 1955.

aea. RONNIE DALE DYESS, born August 22, 1960.

ac. AUSTIN LEE DYESS, born May 2, 1928, is retired, and lives near Columbia, Miss. He was married December 24, 1948, to RUTH PRINE.

ad. LILLIAN PEARL DYESS, born October 2, 1929, married March 27, 1948, to SHERMAN Y. RATCLIFF. They reside near Green's Creek, Miss., and have:

aaa. BETTY JO RATCLIFF, born March 7, 1953, married May 23, 1971, to MORRIS WATTS.

aba. CHARLES EDWIN RATCLIFF, born July 2, 1955.

aca. DORIS MARIE RATCLIFF, born August 20, 1957.

ae. R. J. DYESS, born January 2, 1932, and works for

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5. JAMES MONROE DYESS, born September 28, 1878, and was reared in the Green's Creek community of Jefferson Davis County, Miss., and died July 12, 1953. He was a farmer, a member of the Green's Creek Baptist Church, and of the Masonic lodge at Bassfield, Miss. He was married to AMANDA JANE McPHAIL, and they had:
- a. MYRTIE MAE DYESS, born November 14, 1903, died in 1904.
 - b. MARY JANNIE DYESS, born October 16, 1904. She was married July 23, 1923, to OLIVER PRINE. She is a nurse and lives in Columbia, Miss. They have:
 - aa. MARVIN FLOYD PRINE, born August 23, 1926, married KATHERINE ROBBINS and they have:
 - aaa. MARTHA JANE PRINE, born November 4, 1947.
 - ab. EARNEST LAVON PRINE, born February 4, 1929, married MARGRETT BRELAND, and they have:
 - aaa. EARNEST LAVON PRINE Jr.
 - aba. DELOIS PRINE
 - aca. CHARLOT PRINE
 - ada. AMANDA PRINE
 - c. ROBERT DUDLO DYESS, born November 28, 1905, married December 1, 1928, to GERTRUDE SPEIGHTS. He is a Justice of the Peace, resides on Route 1, Carson, Miss., and they have:
 - aa. ROBERT EARL DYESS, born April 10, 1930. He is married and has:
 - aaa. KENDELL DYESS, born April 11, 1955.
 - aaa. GARY DYESS, born May 16, 1965.
 - ab. HAZEL DYESS, born August 25, 1936, married WINFORD GONENFLO, and they have:
 - aaa. JOE GONENFLO, born September 30, 1942, married a Miss Barrett.
 - d. MARGANIE DYESS, born May 1, 1907, died August of 1907.
 - e. WILLIAM FLOYD DYESS, born April 26, 1908, and married CLARA AILEEN MILLER. He is a grocer and farmer, resides on Route 1, Carson, Miss., and they have:
 - aa. MYRA JANET DYESS, born December 16, 1935, and is married to CONNER RAY ARMSTRONG, and they have:
 - aaa. WILLIAM DALTON ARMSTRONG
 - aba. BRADFORD ALLEN ARMSTRONG
 - ab. WILLIAM EDWARD DYESS, born June 18, 1939, married SYLVIA CATHERINE SPEIGHTS, and they have:
 - aaa. TRACY DYESS
 - aba. TARRA DYESS
 - ac. SARAH LAVENIA DYESS, born May 14, 1941, married SAMMY RAY STEWART.
 - ad. MARSHALL GLYNN DYESS, born October 20, 1943, married JOYCE RUSHING, and they have:
 - aaa. MIKEL GLYNN DYESS
 - aba. MARSHALL GRANT DYESS
 - ae. SHERRY DIANN DYESS, born June 2, 1946, married DALE SAULTERS, and they have:
 - aaa. MELISA SAULTERS.

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- k. ROSA ETTA DYESS, born February 1, 1918, married July 26, 1937, to ISAAC NEWTON REID, and they had
 - aa. DORIS FAYE REID, born October 14, 1939, married August 13, 1964, to ROBERT SUTTON and they had:
 - aaa. KIMBLEY ANN SUTTON, born Januar 5, 1967.
 - aba. ROBIN SUTTON, born December 5, 1969.
 - l. TOXIE RAY DYESS, born December 5, 1919, married February 13, 1941, to BONNIE REA McNEASE.
 - m. REGGIE LATRELL DYESS, born January 2, 1922, married June 28, 1946, to ZETTIE MAE SMITH, and they have:
 - aa. JERRY RANDALL DYESS, born April 8, 1947.
 - ab. FRANCES ELAINE DYESS, born August 28, 1949, married in 1970 to DAVID FOSHEE.
 - n. BESSIE MILDRED DYESS, born June 15, 1924, married April 20, 1946, to TOXIE HALL GORE, an agriculture teacher. They live near Carson, Miss., and they have:
 - aa. JIMMY DERRELL GORE, born February 13, 1947, married in 1969 to BARBARA BROOM.
 - ab. TOXIE HAROLD GORE, born January 13, 1958.
6. PAUL CALVIN DYESS, born February 8, 1880, in the Green's Creek community of Jefferson Davis County, Miss., where he was reared. He was a farmer and a member of the Green's Creek Baptist Church. He was married first to PATTY BUCHANAN, and they lived in Longview, Texas until her death, at which time he moved back to Jefferson Davis county and married NANCY BLACKWELL. No issue from either marriage.
7. SARAH LAURENIA DYESS, born Oct. 29, 1881, in the Green's Creek community. She was reared, and lived her entire life in this community, and died July 8, 1921. She was a member of the Green's Creek Baptist Church, and was married to SAMUEL L. SMITH, and they had fifteen children as follows:
- a. ETHEL LUEAZER SMITH
 - b. FRANCES AMELIA SMITH, born June 1, 1902, married March 5, 1919, to HOLLAND RAYNES, and they had:
 - aa. ADDIE MAE RAYNES, born April 2, 1920, married March 5, 1941, to ELVIS O'QUIN, and they have:
 - aaa. MALCOLM O'QUIN, born January 6, 1940.
 - aba. ALTON KAY O'QUIN, born July 24, 1943, married BETTY SUE TIMS.
 - aca. FRANCES O'QUIN, born November 14, 1946, married June 23, 1961, to MITCHELL SMITH and they have:
 - baa. ROY MITCHELL SMITH
 - ada. ROGER DALE O'QUIN, born January 9, 1949.
 - aea. JACKIE LEE O'QUINN, born March 21, 1950, married May 1, 1971, to PEGGY BATES.
 - ab. SAMUEL RAYNES, born May 9, 1922, died in a prisoner of war camp in October of 1942.
 - ac. GAYTHA RAYNES, born May 19, 1924, and married

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EDWARD MITCHELL SMITH

Son of Angela (Reiter) & Roy Mitchell Smith of Bassfield, MS was 1 year old November 9, 1991. Grandparents are the late Edward Lee Reiter, Jr.; Mr. & Mrs. Thomas E. Dyess; Mr. & Mrs. James Mitchell Smith; Great Grandparents are the late W. McKinley Smith; Mrs. Reidie Mae Smith; Mrs. Addie Mae Breaux; Mrs. Vergie Smith & the late Raleigh Mitchell Smith all of Bassfield, MS; Mr. & Mrs. Edward Lee Reiter, Sr. of Vancleave.

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Mary Anne Dykes

Mary Anne Dykes is the office manager of the J.L. Scott Marine Education Center at the University of Southern Mississippi Gulf Coast Research Laboratory in Ocean Springs. One of the projects she works on each year is

Sea Camp, a week-long day camp with six different sessions through June and July for youths, ages 6 to 14 years old. Dykes said, "Last year, we had 18 states represented and one child was from another country." She and her

husband, Ben, live in Ocean Springs and they have four grown children and one 8-month-old grandson named Jack, who just recently had his first boat trip. Dykes loves boating, and also enjoys gardening and reading.

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and NANCY JENKINS, 1817-1868

from

Georgia to Texas,

and

Some Families Marrying Into These Lines,

Those Believed To Be The

Brothers and Sisters of Thomas D. Dyess,

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Later, in this chapter, you will notice a written statement by Albert DYESS in Blountsville, Mississippi, a descendant of DEMPSEY DYESS, wherein he states that his great-great grandfather was buried in WHALES, England. There being no place by that name we can only surmise that he was speaking of the country of WALES, which at one time was, and still is, part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain.

Everyone seems to be in agreement as to the country of origin of our ancestor, but there probably could be some difference of opinion as to when we got here, or where we landed.

Regardless of what has been handed down to us, we do know you will find the DYESS name in America since 1635, in Virginia, and that name will be found as they started moving south and west, in North and South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas.

We believe the country from whence they came is the loser, because America has been better off as a result of him, or them, coming here.

April 14, 1635	<u>HENRY DYE</u>	Age 20	Aboard the FAULCON of LONDON to be transported to the Isl- and of Barbadoes. Thomas Irish, Master.
Oct. 24, 1635	<u>GEORGE DYOS</u>	Age 38	Aboard the Constance, bound for Virginia. Clement Campion, Master. (Source of both: List of Emigrants to America, 1600-1700, by Wooten.)
1664	<u>THOMAS DIAS</u>		Land owner of Westmoreland County, Virginia.
March 10, 1708	<u>ROBERT DYOS</u>		Will of Richard Robinton, Tal- bot County, Province of Mary- land, mentions his wife and son and a certain orphan boy named ROBERT DYOS. (Source: Copy of Will.)
1729	<u>HENRY DIAS</u>		Purchased land in Bath Co., N.C.
Dec. 8, 1737	<u>HENRY DIAS</u>		Will in Beauford District, Co. of Bath, N. C. says he wishes to be buried next to his wife Mary, and refers to his land on Blount's Creek and Blount's Bay and mentions sons: JOHN DIAS, RICHARD DIAS, THOMAS DIAS and HENRY DIAS. Daughter ANN DIAS, and brother JOHN PURSELL and his wife REBECCA. (Rebecca must have been a sis- ter who married John Pursell. Source: Copy of Will.)
Aug. 15, 1753	<u>ROBERT DYOS</u>		Will in County of Norfolk, Va.,

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mentions his wife, (not by name) and son, Peter, and daughter, Mary. (Source: Copy of will.)

April 20,
1767

MOSES DYASS

Will, April 20, 1767, Richmond County, Ga., mentions sons, Moses and John DYASS. (Source: Historical Collection of Ga. Chapters, DAR, Vol II, p.6.)

Sept. 29,
1769

FREDERICK DYESS

Aboard the London Pacquet with Captain James Cook from Lisbon Portugal. (Source: THIRTY THOUSAND IMMIGRANTS, by Rupp.)

Mar. 17,
1773

JOHN DYUS

Will in Talbot County, Province of Maryland. He mentions my friend, John Merchants Jr., and his father-in-law, John Newman. (Source: Copy of will.)

Jan. 12,
1772

HENRY DYESS
JOHN DYESS

Daniel Odcm deeded to these two men, 200 acres of land on the Savannah River, near the Three Runs. (Source: Copy of this transaction from Deed Book A, page 119, Barnwell Co. South Carolina.)

1777 to
1852

THOMAS DIEUS

Will found in the General Index to Wills and Estates, Chat- ham County, Georgia Courthouse (Source: Early Records of Geo- rgia Counties, p. 28, by Pres- cott.)

Feb. 9,
1784

HENRY DYAS
JOHN DYAS

Book 1-A, p. 117, Barnwell Co. S. C. Henry DYAS to John DYAS both of the Orangeburg Dist, 200 acres in Granville, S. C. in the back swamps of the Sav- annah River, near the Three Runs. (Source: Copy of the transaction. See second entry above. In both entries, the names are spelled differently)

1785

JOHN DYESS

Granted 287½ acres land in Franklin Co., Ga. (Source: Headright and Bounty Grants in Georgia, 1756 to 1909, Grant Book I-I-I, page 289.)

1785

JEREMIAH DYESS Age 7

John Twiggs appointed his guardian in Richmond County, Ga. (Source: Historical Col- lections of Georgia Chapters of the DAR, Vol. II, page 298)

Sept. 4,
1788

WILLIAM DYESS

Will Book E, Page 2, Barnwell

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County, S. C. Will of William Eboritt in which he mentions his wife and children. Wife not mentioned by name. Children are: Sons; John N. and Thomas. Daughters: Luckey, Polly, Sally Templeton and ELIZABETH DYESS, wife of WILLIAM DYESS. Executors were his wife Nancy, and WILLIAM DYESS.

1790 WILLIAM DIAS 1790 Census of South Carolina, Orangeburgh District, (south part), page 99, shows WILLIAM DIAS as head of family of one male over 16, two males under 16, and three females.

1790 JOHN DIAS 1790 Census of South Carolina, Georgetown District, All Sts. Parish.

1790 VIALATOR DIAS 1790 Census of S. C. Orangeburgh District, south part.

1791 HENRY DIAS Granted 28 1/2 acres of land in Liberty County, Ga. (Source: Headright and Bounty Grants in Georgia, 1756-1909, Grant Book K-5, page 93.)

June 10, 1794 JOHN DYAS Winston County, S. C., sale of land of John Green, deceased, in the Orangeburgh District on the upper Three Runs of the Savannah River. Heirs: Sabra Green, AQUILLA Green, JOHN DYAS, Richard Addick and Mary Green. Book yyyy, page 118. (Source: Copy of transaction. JOHN DYAS and Richard Addick were probably brothers-in-law of John Green.)

Dec. 4, 1797 JEREMIAH DYASS, age 19 JOHN DYASS appointed permanent administrator of the JEREMIAH DYASS estate. He died Dec. 4, 1797 and the appointment was made June 16, 1798. (Notice in 1785 where John Twiggs was appointed his guardian, and in that transaction it was spelled DYESS. This was in Richmond County, Ga., and can be found in Historical Collections of Georgia Chapters, DAR, Vol. II, page 84.)

March 21, 1805 DEMPSEY DYESS ELIZABETH DYESS Land sale. Book B, page 131, Barnwell Dist., S. C., Elizabeth both DYESS and DEMPSEY DYESS

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June 5, 1808 WINNIFORD BOYIT DYES to John or George Reynolds for \$120.00, part of a tract of 300 acres located on the west side of a tract adjoining John Bush's land. (Source: Copy of transaction.)

Will of William Boyit, mentions his children, Winniford Boyit DYES, Jamima Boyit, Josiah Boyit, Bethany Tool, Ezekiel Boyit, Patience Red (?). Witnesses: William Tobin, Luke Tool and Wright Welch. (This will be found in the S. C. Archives, Barnwell County Wills, Vol. 1, Book I, page 104, and was originally recorded in Will Book A, page 91, bundle 1h, package 12. It is believed that this Winniford Boyit is the wife of Henry Dyess Sr. Revolutionary War soldier.)

Dec. 2, 1809 DEMPSEY DYESS Land sale. Dempsey Dyess of Barnwell District, sells to Wright Welch for \$30.00, a tract of land, which my father, WILLIAM DYESS possessed, and now owned by my mother, Betsy (Elizabeth ?) DYESS. (Source: Copy of transaction, recorded in Book E, page 206, Barnwell District, S. C.)

Feb. 19, 1810 DEMPSEY DYESS Passport issued by the Governor of Georgia to DEMPSEY DYESS, his wife, and one child to travel in the Indian Nation. (Georgia, Alabama and Miss. It shows them to be from Barnwell District, S. C.)

Oct. 18, 1810 CHRISTOPHER DYESS Of Twiggs County, Ga., issued passport to travel in the Indian Nation, by the Governor of Georgia. (Source: Passports Through Georgia.)

Sept. 10, 1814 WILLIAM DYAS Of Barnwell District, S. C., sold to his mother, ELIZABETH DYAS for \$40.00, all of my interest or claim to tract of land of which my father, WILLIAM DYAS died possessed. 375 acres lying in back swamp of District. Witnesses: John Needham and John W. Turner. (Source: Copy of this transaction, filed in Book H, page 270, Barnwell District, South Carolina.)

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The following is from the Rev. Tony Q. Dyess, 3803 Deerfoot Drive, Chattanooga, Tenn. 37406.

ALLEN WATSON DYESS, born in 1850, in Jackson, Miss., died in August 1931, in Lubbock, Texas. He was married to SUSAN WALKER HUDSON and they had:

1. THOMAS DYESS, nothing further.
2. TONY Q. DYESS, born December 1881.
3. ESTELLE DYESS, married a TODD. Nothing further.
4. LINDY DYESS, married a KINGCANNON. Nothing further.
5. IRENE DYESS, married a McDONALD. Nothing further.

2. TONY Q. DYESS, born December 1881, in Brazos County, Texas, and died August 18, 1927, in Lubbock, Texas. He was married to MARY MATILDA MURPHY, and they had:
 - a. NELLY MAUDE DYESS, born July 27, 1902, in Wilbarger, Texas.
 - b. TONY REUBEN Q. DYESS, born April 9, 1910, in Thalia, Texas, and is married to JOYCE AREY. He is a Methodist minister and they reside at 3803 Deerfoot Drive, Chattanooga, Tenn.
 - c. RAYMOND THOMAS DYESS, born May 14, 1913, in Vernon, Texas.

The following was furnished by the Rev. Fred Dyess, who at that time, March 1966, was pastor of the First Baptist Church, Krotz Springs, La., but who is not there now.

"My paternal grandfather was George Winfield Dyess.
My paternal grandmother was Sada Mae Byrd.
My maternal grandmother was Martha Sasafronia Mosley.
My maternal grandfather was T. W. Mosley.
My grandfather, George Dyess, had by his marriage to Martha Mosley:
George Dyess, deceased.
Joseph Dyess, deceased.
Willis Dyess, Route 4, Robertsedale, Alabama.
Edward Dyess, Crestview, Fla.
Manuel Dyess, Route 4, Lucedale, Mississippi
Ada Dyess, married a Cooper and lives on Route 1, Robertsedale, Ala.
Mollie Dyess, married a Dashingier and lives at 315 Betty Road, Crestview, Fla.
After the death of Martha Mosley Dyess, George Dyess married Rosie Phillips and they had:
William Dyess
Corell Dyess
Esther Dyess

My father, Cecil Isiah Dyess, was born in Alabama, lived in Robertsedale, Ala., and did not leave until I was 11 years of age. His address is Route 1, Box 593-A, Gulfport, Miss.

The following information is from an obituary appearing in and Alexandria, La. newspaper in the late 1960's. The children of this couple, as shown, are not necessarily in the order of their birth.

EZEKIEL DYESS, born 1865-1870 in Mississippi. He left Mississippi, (Laurel vicinity) after his marriage to ANNIE ANDERSON, and they settled near Jena, La., at Dry Prong. The names of all of their children are not known, but they did include:

Mrs. I. N. Ates, 113 Leah St., Pineville, La. 71360.

Huey C. Dyess who married Mary Honeycutt. She was drowned in Trout Creek, near Jena, La., at the age of 71, in the late 1960's. This couple had, but not necessarily in the order shown:

- a. EDGAR S. DYESS, died in Houston in June of 1969. His widow resides at 1230 Kinley, Houston, Texas 77018.
- b. CLARICE DYESS married ALWELL and lives in Houston.
- c. CARLENE DYESS married BURNS and resides at 1310 Camden, Pasadena, Texas.
- d. MATTIE DYESS married PENN and resides in Shreveport, La.
- e. DORIS DYESS married McCRAWLEY and lives in Shreveport.
- f. CORRENE DYESS married BEEBE and lives in Shreveport.
- g. COLLENE DYESS married RODRIGUES and lives in Ponchatoula, Louisiana.

While we do not have anything definite, and nothing to base an assumption on except the age of EZEKIEL DYESS, and his place of birth, furnished by some of the descendants, it is quite possible that he is the same EZEKIEL DYESS, born in Mississippi in 1867, son of George W. DYESS Jr., and his second marriage, which was to BARBARA JANE BIGSBY. (See page 97.)

The information below was acquired during research, from public documents, from descendants, GARON DEMPSEY DYESS, 1515 McNutt Drive, Alexandria, La. 71301, and all of the information on the descendants of THOMAS EDGAR DYESS, and his two wives, ANGELINE ROBBINS and JULIA AMELIA ROBBINS, was assembled by Mrs. AUSTIN H. (AGNES DYESS) BAHM, 573 North 6th St., Baton Rouge, Louisiana and Route 1, Box 155, Carson, Mississippi 39427. We appreciate the work done by MISS MARIE ILES, 2325 Lee St., Alexandria, La. 71301. She is secretary to Garon Dyess, and in researching her own lines, picked up much information on the DYESS name. At the annual DYESS reunion in Pineville, La., May 6, 1972, the reunion unanimously adopted Marie and made her an "honorary cousin," which gave her all the rights and privileges of a descendant of THOMAS D. DYESS, including that of holding office in the reunion.

This written statement, by ALBERT DYESS, son of WILLIAM DYESS, grandson of JOHN DYESS and great grand son of DEMPSEY DYESS, was written sometime before he died in 1950. He does not give it a date and this will be copied as near as possible

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as the original written statement.

The original is headed, "DYEES FAMILY TREE, father's side," and it is signed, Uncle Bill's Boy in Blountville, (ille), Albert Dyess.

You will notice in the first paragraph wherein he speaks of his great-great grandfather Dyess, and in the second paragraph he mentions also, his great-great grandfather Dempsey Dyess. This part is in error, as Dempsey was his great grandfather.

Great Great Grand Father was buried in Whales England. (?)

Great Great Grand Father Dempsey Dyess came from South Carolina, Emigrated to Ala. back in the Old Indian days. See page 111, where he was issued a Passport through Georgia in 1810.) Great (?) Grand Father John Dyess, (actually it was his grandfather John) was born in a Fort on the river in the year 1812. Dempsey Dyess came to Pauldon, Miss., Jasper county, and traveled the Old Stephen Road. Dempsey's brothers, George Kit, (Christopher) and Josh, left Pauldon and went to Waynesboro, Wayne County, Mississippi. Dempsey's sons, John and Bill being carpenters went south to Covington County. Great (?) Grand Father John Dyess went to Monticello, Miss. and while there he courted and wed Harriet King daughter of Jim King. Dempsey Dyess Daughters. The oldest girl married Ephrem Green and moved to Bay of Biloxi and this family is still there. The second married a Burkes, the third married a Walder. These families are still in Newton and Jasper County. Dempsey Dyess moved to Waynesboro. He was the first man to register in Wayne County. Part of Dempsey's brothers moved back to Wayne County.

Tom Dyess, Dempsey's baby brother came south to Tylertown, Miss. and married and settled there. He got in trouble with a man named Legit. Then Tom Dyess and family went to North West Texas. He got killed and left two boys Decada (Decatur ?) and one I don't know and they raised a horse ranch. Decada (?) Dyess returned to Blountville, (Prentiss) Miss. in 1899 with a drove of horses. The first to learn about Tom Dyess and family's whereabouts after he left this country. Our great Grand Pa John Dyess after he married Harriet King moved to Red House North west of Prentiss, then called Blountville. When he left there he bought what was known afterwards as the Henry Place. His oldest daughter Carolyn married John McPhail, his oldest son Bill married Sallie Rawls, Frank Dyess his second son married Pasha King, Martha Dyess his second daughter married Mack Ward after he died in the Civil War she married Jake McPhail, Jack Dyess his third son married Molliscia Hill, Pasha Dyess married Henry Dunn at Brookhaven (Brookhaven), Betsy Dyess married Ike Hill.

He died and she married Andrew Robbins. Jim Dyess married Mollie Cook from Croville, (?), La. She was a school teacher. Tom Dyess married Angeline Robbins, she died then he married Amelia Robbins.

Carolyn and John McPhail children were Elaine McPhail, Bill McPhail and he married Jane Rotbins, Parentha McPhail she married Lawrence King, Lizzie McPhail married Hardy Murry, Annie McPhail married Henry Nation. Munurvia McPhail married Rev. Richmond Murray, Maranda McPhail married Estus Tyronne.

Bill Dyess and Sallie Rawles Children were Dicie Dyess the

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oldest married Red Miller, Jasper Dyess the oldest boy got killed in a horse race when he was nineteen years old. He was engaged to Amanda Robbins. Jack Dyess (widely known as Devil Jack) married Eddie Shivers and she died and he married Sarah Lott. Amanda Dyess married Steve Shivers. William Hor (weaver ?) married Mattie Bass. (?) Albert G. Dyess (the writer) married Ethel Blount, Mattie Dyess married John Robertson of Gloster, Miss. Sally Dyess married Jonah King.

Martha Dyess and John McPhails children were, John, Jim, Harriet and Mary. Frank Dyess and Pasha Kings children were Sally, Jim Florence, Jack Jasper, Oma. Jack Dyess and Mellesias children were Mary Prentiss, Tip, Ed, Net, Nan and Wade. Pasha Dyess and Henry Dunns children were John, Frank, Susanna and Lizzie. Betty Dyess and Ike Hill and Andrew Robbins didn't have any children. Jim Dyess and Mollye Cooks children were Jim and Mary. Tom Dyess and Angeline Robbins children were Frank Dyess married John Garden. Angeline died and he married Amelia Robbins, their children were John Dyess, he married Amanda McPhail, Lorina Dyess married Sam Smith, Sam married Emma Evans, Paul married Pattie Buchanan and Nancy Blackwell. Washington Dyess married Carrie McPhail. Eugene Dyess married Maud McPhail after her death he married Millie Bass. Albert Dyess married Pasha King. Joe Dyess married Olive Pierce."

WILLIAM DYEES, husband of BETSY DYEES, died about 1800, in Barnwell County, S. C. According to land transactions of that county, shown on pages 110 and 111, there are three sons involved in these transactions. In the statement of Mr. Albert G. Dyess of Blountsville, (now Prentiss), Mississippi, shown starting on page 116, indicates there were four other sons. The three involved in the land transactions are DEMPSEY, WILLIAM and JOHN. In Albert's statement, he says the brothers of Dempsey were GEORGE, KIT, (short name for CHRISTOPHER) JOSH (JOSHUA) and TOM. (This could well be the same GEORGE whom we believe to be the father of our THOMAS D. DYEES. All of the dates would allow us to make such a deduction.) We will attempt to show, in part only, the descendancy of one of these sons, that being:

DEMPSEY DYEES, born in 1785, son of William and Betsy Dyess, left Barnwell County, S. C. about 1810, was in Alabama in 1812, (See page 111, Passports through Georgia.), and in Mississippi by 1820. (See census records in Chapter 10) In the 1860 Census of Jasper County, Mississippi, his wife is shown as MARTHA, and both born in South Carolina. According to the earlier census records he had more than the five children which Albert Dyess mentioned in his statement. It could have been that only five of them reached adulthood. The names of the daughters are not known, but according to Albert Dyess the oldest daughter married EPHERM (Ephraim ?) GREEN and they moved to the Bay of Biloxi. The family is still there. The second girl married a Burkes and the third a Walder. These families are still in Newton and Jasper counties. (Mississippi). Dempsey's sons, John and William (Bill) went to Covington County, Mississippi and later John moved to Monticello, Lawrence County, Mississippi. We do not have the genealogy of William Dyess, but will show, in part, that of JOHN DYEES.

I. JOHN DYEES, born in 1812 in Alabama, married May 12, 1835,

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- to HARRIETT KING, born January 29, 1810 in North Carolina; died December 25, 1880. This couple had:
- A. CAROLINE DYESS, born June 8, 1836; died October 12, 1914. She married JOHN MCPHAIL.
 - B. WILLIAM DYESS, born November 30, 1837; died May 11, 1928. He was married to SARAH RAWLES.
 - C. PATIENCE DYESS, born 1839, married HENRY DUNN at Brookhaven, Mississippi.
 - D. FRANCIS M. DYESS, born 1841 and married PASHA KING.
 - E. JOHN (JACK) DYESS, born in 1842 and married MELISSA HILL.
 - F. ELIZABETH DYESS, born in 1844. Married first to IKE HILL and second to ANDREW ROBBINS.
 - G. MARTHA DYESS, born in 1846 and married first MACK WARD and second to JAKE MCPHAIL.
 - H. JAMES DYESS, born in 1847 and married MOLLYE COOK from Croville, (?), La.
 - I. THOMAS DYESS, born August 27, 1849; died September 3, 1902. He was married first to ANGALINE ROBBINS and second to AMELIA ROBBINS.
- A. CAROLINE DYESS, June 8, 1836, and died October 12, 1914. She was married to JOHN MCPHAIL, and they had:
 - 1. ELAINE MCPHAIL
 - 2. WILLIAM MCPHAIL who married JANE ROBBINS.
 - 3. PARTHENIA MCPHAIL married LAWRENCE KING.
 - 4. ELIZABETH (LIZZIE) MCPHAIL married HARDY MURRAY.
 - 5. ANNIE MCPHAIL married HENRY NATION.
 - 6. MINERVA MCPHAIL married the Rev. RICHMOND MURRAY.
 - 7. MIRANDA MCPHAIL married ESTUS TYRONNE.
 - B. WILLIAM (BILL) DYESS, born November 30, 1837 and died May 11, 1928. He was married to SALLY RAWLES (SARAH), and they had:
 - 1. DICIE DYESS married RED MILLER.
 - 2. JASPER DYESS killed in a horse race at age 19. He was engaged to AMANDA ROBBINS.
 - 3. JACK DYESS married first EDDIE SHIVERS and second to SARAH LOTT.
 - 4. AMANDA DYESS married STEVE SHIVERS.
 - 5. WILLIAM DYESS married MARTHA (MATTIE) BASS.
 - 6. ALBERT GALTIN DYESS, born October 10, 1870. (More later.)
 - 7. MARTHA (MATTIE) DYESS married JOHN ROBERTSON of Gloster, Mississippi.
 - 8. SARAH (SALLY) DYESS married JONAH KING.
 - 6. ALBERT GALTIN DYESS, born October 10, 1870, and died May 10, 1950. He was married April 30, 1890, to MARTHA ESTHER BLOUNT, and they had:
 - a. BUFORD LARKIN DYESS, born May 12, 1892, and died June 12, 1959. He was married May 21, 1911, to LULA JOHNSON.
 - b. WILLIAM BLOUNT DYESS, born August 22, 1894.
 - c. ROBERT GASTON DYESS, born January 6, 1898.
 - d. CALVIN MONROE DYESS, born August 16, 1900.
 - e. JASPER (SHADY) DYESS, born November 8, 1902.
 - a. BUFORD LARKIN DYESS, born May 12, 1892, and died June 12, 1959. He was married to LULA JOHNSON, born December 11, 1894, and they had:
 - aa. CARVER HOLT DYESS, born November 17, 1912.
 - ab. EDNA MAE DYESS, born December 12, 1914.

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- ac. GALAVERNE DYESS, born May 10, 1917.
 - ad. M. E. DYESS, born October 4, 1919.
 - ae. HILDA MARIE DYESS, born October 19, 1921.
 - af. VONG DYESS, born March 21, 1924.
 - ag. FLORA MAE DYESS, born January 21, 1927.
 - ah. GARON DEMPSEY DYESS, born February 10, 1930.
- aa. CARVER HOLT DYESS, born November 17, 1912, married ELIZABETH HELEN COLBERT, and they had:
 - aaa. BETTY CATHERINE DYESS, born May 22, 1945, married GARLAND BRIGGS RYAN, and they had:
 - baa. DEREK HOLT RYAN, born June 5, 1970.
 - ab. EDNA MAE DYESS, born December 12, 1914, married KILYUN DONALD WILLIAMSON, and they had:
 - aaa. BILLY DONALD WILLIAMSON, born February 1, 1935.
 - aba. JOHN ALLEN WILLIAMSON, born March 16, 1937.
 - aca. LARRY GILBERT WILLIAMSON, born January 21, 1939.
 - ada. JANICE LOU WILLIAMSON, born Nov. 25, 1940.
 - aea. REBECCA WILLIAMSON, born Feb. 19, 1943.
 - afa. KILYUN DARRELL WILLIAMSON, born Jan. 16, 1945.
 - aga. KENNETH MIKELL WILLIAMSON, born Dec. 12, 1946.
 - aha. DUDLEY WILLIAMSON, born July 23, 1948.
 - ala. GARY DALE WILLIAMSON, born August 13, 1949.
 - aaa. BILLY DONALD WILLIAMSON, born Feb. 1, 1935, married SHIRLEY POLK, and they had:
 - baa. JAMES DONALD WILLIAMSON, born Oct. 30, 1957.
 - bab. ANTHONY POLK WILLIAMSON, born Nov. 25, 1960.
 - bac. PATRICK NEIL WILLIAMSON, born Dec. 2, 1961.
 - aba. JOHN ALLEN WILLIAMSON, born March 16, 1937, married VIVIAN FELSETHAL MELANCON and they had:
 - baa. DAVID FELSETHAL WILLIAMSON, born March 19, 1953.
 - bab. JOHN LEVIS WILLIAMSON, born Feb. 7, 1962.
 - aca. LARRY GILBERT WILLIAMSON, born January 21, 1939. Nothing further.
 - ada. JANICE LOU WILLIAMSON, born November 25, 1940, married JAMES SETH RUSSELL and they have:
 - baa. JAMES GREGORY RUSSELL, born April 27, 1962.
 - bab. MARVIN ALLEN RUSSELL, born October 21, 1966.
 - aea. REBECCA WILLIAMSON, born February 19, 1943 married JOHN TOXEY BARNES and they have:
 - baa. JOHN TERRY BARNES, born Dec. 12, 1945.
 - bab. WENDY LYNN BARNES, born Nov. 22, 1969.
 - afa. KILYUN DARRELL WILLIAMSON, born Jan. 16, 1945, married KERRY LYNN EVERETT, and they have:

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- ai. BOBBIE SUE DYESS, born October 20, 1938, married DALTON CROTWELL, and they have:
 - aaa. JANEL KATHERINE CROTWELL, born December 4, 1953.
 - aba. MARK DALE CROTWELL, born January 26, 1958.
 - aca. GINA PATRICE CROTWELL, born December 5, 1959.
 - ada. RHONDA LYNN CROTWELL, born November 21, 1961.
 - aea. JEFFERY ALVIN CROTWELL, born March 10, 1963.
- aj. HARMON ALLEN DYESS, born April 8, 1941.
- d. CALVIN MONROE DYESS, born August 16, 1900, married MAUDIE MAE BRACKEN, and they have:
 - aa. CHELLIE JUANITA DYESS, born December 20, 1918, married LOWERY P. BRANTON, and they have:
 - aaa. OUIDA ALBERTA BRANTON, born August 10, 1939, married JOHN DENNIS McDANIEL, and they have:
 - baa. LESIA KAREN McDANIEL, born October 8, 1958.
 - bab. JOHN DENNIS McDANIEL Jr., born April 12, 1960.
 - bac. LERRI LYNN McDANIEL, born April 3, 1961.
 - aba. KENNETH L. BRANTON.
 - aca. KATHLEEN L. BRANTON, born May 24, 1946, married BOBBY SAXON and they have:
 - baa. KIMBERLY DAWN SAXON, born December 5, 1964.
 - bab. BOBBY DARNELL SAXON, born July 21, 1965.
- ab. A. G. DYESS, born January 2, 1921, married SHIRLEY PEABODY, and they have:
 - aaa. RICHARD W. DYESS, born January 24, 1947.
 - aba. SANDRA L. DYESS, born August 12, 1949.
- ac. EDWARD HINES DYESS, born January 5, 1926, married RAMONA LOPEZ, and they have:
 - aaa. SHARON DENISE DYESS, born May 16, 1959.
- ad. SCOTT HILTON DYESS, born October 11, 1933, married BOBBIE JEAN LOPEZ, and they have:
 - aaa. BOBBIE SHERYL DYESS, born March 4, 1954.
 - aba. TERRY SCOTT DYESS, born November 29, 1956.
 - aca. NANCY LYNN DYESS, born October 25, 1961.
- ae. ELOISE DYESS, born June 26, 1937, married CECIL McRANEY, and they have:
 - aaa. CALVIN EARL McRANEY, born May 3, 1958.
 - aba. PAMELA KAYE McRANEY, born ?
 - aca. RHONDA SUSAN McRANEY, born July 22, 1963.
 - ada. CAROL ANN McRANEY, born April 9, 1970.
- e. JASPER (SHADY) DYESS, born November 8, 1902, married ORDNA COLE, and they have:
 - aa. DOROTHY ANNETTE DYESS, born December 11, 1923, married GEORGE GATEWOOD, and they have:
 - aaa. GEORGE WAYNE GATEWOOD, born March 22, 1946, married JUDY LANGSTON.
 - aba. JAMES BRYON GATEWOOD, born August 3, 1947.
 - aca. CAROLYN DIANNE GATEWOOD, born October 18, 1948, married SAMMY HATHORN, and they have:
 - baa. CARLA MECHELLE HATHORN, born Feb. 13, 1970.

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- ab. HERSHEL LARUE DYESS, born March 31, 1927, married SHARON LOFTIN, and they have:
 - aaa. RICKY DYESS, born August 21, 1960.
 - aba. RANDY DYESS, born June 26, 1962.
 - aca. RENAE DYESS, born November 21, 1965.
 - ada. TIMOTHY DYESS, born April 28, 1969.
 - aea. KIMBERLY DYESS, born April 28, 1969.
- ac. CHARLIE MRL DYESS, born June 20, 1931, married CURTIS CRANFORD, and they have:
 - aaa. CHARLOTTE CRANFORD, born August 12, 1952.
 - aba. TOMMY CRANFORD, born May 26, 1954.
- ad. SHANNON DYESS, born April 12, 1936, married first BETTY PEAK and they had:
 - aaa. TONY WAYNE DYESS, born September 17, 1957.
 SHANNON DYESS married second YVONNE ESTERLING and they had:
 - aba. WANDA DYESS, born October 12, 1960.
 - aca. DARRYL DYESS, born April 29, 1962.
 - ada. DAN CALVIN DYESS, born March 9, 1964.
- 7. MATTIE (MARTHA ?) DYESS, married JOHN ROBERTSON of Gloster, Mississippi.
- 8. SALLY (SARAH ?) DYESS, married JONAH KING.
- C. PATIENCE (PASHA) DYESS, born in 1839, married HENRY DUNN and they had:
 - 1. JOHN DUNN
 - 2. FRANK DUNN
 - 3. SUSANNA DUNN
 - 4. LIZZIE (ELIZABETH ?) DUNN
- D. FRANCIS M. (FRANK) DYESS, born in 1841, married PASHA KING and they had:
 - 1. SARAH (SALLY) DYESS
 - 2. JAMES (JIM) DYESS
 - 3. FLORENCE DYESS
 - 4. JACK DYESS
 - 5. JASPER DYESS
 - 6. OMA DYESS
- E. JOHN (JACK) DYESS, born in 1842, married MELLISSA HILL and they had:
 - 1. MARY DYESS
 - 2. PRENTISS DYESS
 - 3. TIPPON (TIP) DYESS
 - 4. ED DYESS
 - 5. NET (NETTIE ?) DYESS
 - 6. NAN DYESS
 - 7. WADE DYESS
- F. ELIZABETH (BETTY) DYESS, born in 1844; died in 1931. Married first to IKE HILL and second to ANDREW ROBBINS. No children by either marriage.
- G. MARTHA DYESS, born in 1846, married first to MACK WARD and

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Chapter 10

Copies of
Some Public Records,
Family Stories, and Letters
Concerning The
DYESS
And Related Names

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Some Mississippi census records copied by Miss Marie Iles
of Alexandria, Louisiana.

Prior to 1850 the census records listed, by name, only the
head of the house, with the remainder of the family listed as
male or female in several age categories. Starting in the census
of 1850, and continuing, all members of the household were listed
by name, sex, age, etc.

Census records, as well as other old records, are usually
most difficult to read. The first reason would obviously be the
advanced age, which has grown brittle and dim with time. Another
could be the poor handwriting of the person writing it.

Mistakes occur frequently in copying these old records, and
especially census records. In some cases the copy is so dim and/
or the handwriting so poor, that the person copying it could on-
ly guess or use their imagination to come up with a name. The
next person copying it had to do the same thing and came up with
a different name, but it was the same person in the census.

Many mistakes can be attributed to the parents who were giv-
ing the information to the census enumerator. On one census report
a son would be called "William." Ten years later, at the time of
the next census, he would be called "Robert." It has been known
of them using the "nick-name" of the child, never referring to
his real name.

Do not get confused with the apparent discrepancy in the
various census reports. For example, a census report will show
a child as age 9. The census taker was probably around just be-
fore the boy reached his 10th birthday. Ten years later, the
same child would be shown as 20, or maybe 21. In this case, they
perhaps showed his age at his next birthday. When you find some-
thing of this nature, do not write it off as the wrong person.
Just remember, there are many factors in the reading of old re-
cords which tend to cause mistakes.

1820 Wayne County

Joel Dyess
3 males under 10
1 male between 26-45
3 females under 10
1 female between 10-16
1 female between 26-45

1820 Lawrence County

Christopher Dyess
2 males under
1 male 10-16
1 male 26-45
2 females under 10
1 female 10-16

1830 Copiah County

Dempsey Dyess
1 male under 10
2 males between 10-20
1 male between 40-60

1820 Wayne County

Dempsey Dyess
2 males under 10
1 male between 16-26
1 male between 26-45
1 male over 45
2 females under 10
1 female 10-16
1 female 16-26
1 female 26-45

1830 Wayne County

John Dyess
2 males under 10
1 male between 20-40
2 females under 10
1 female 20-40.

1830 Copiah Co., continued

2 females under 10
1 female 10-20
1 female 40-60

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1830 Jones County
Martin Dyess
3 males under 10
1 male between 20-40
1 female under 10
1 female between 10-16

1830 Rankin County
Joshua Dyess
1 male between 20-40
2 males over 45
1 female between 10-16
1 male under 10

1840 Jasper County
John Dyess
1 male under 5
3 males between 5-10
1 male between 10-15
1 male between 30-40
1 male between 40-50
1 female between 20-30

1840 Jasper County
Thomas Dyess
1 male under 5
1 male between 20-30
1 female under 5
1 female between 15-20
1 female between 60-70

1840 Jasper County
John Dyess
2 males under 5
1 male between 20-30
2 females under 5
1 female between 20-30

Rankin County 1830
Christopher Dyess
1 male under 10
2 males between 10-20
1 male 45 and over
1 female between 10-16
1 female under 10

1840 Jasper County
Dempsey Dyess
1 male between 50-60
1 female between 5-10
1 female between 15-20
1 female between 50-60
1 male between 10-15

1840 Jasper County
Joshua Dyess
7 males under 15
1 male between 20-30
1 male between 30-40
1 female between 30-40
1 female between 15-20

1840 Jasper County
Martin Dyess
7 males under 15
1 male between 40-50
2 females between 10-15
1 female between 40-50

1850 Jasper County
Thomas Dyess living in the
home of Hugh Rogers.

County	Year	Name	Age	Sex	State born in.
Jasper	1850	Dempsey Dyess	24	M	Mississippi
		Sarah	18	F	Mississippi
		Martha	1	F	Mississippi
Covington	1850	John Dyess	34	M	Alabama
		Harriett	34	F	N. C.
		Caroline	13	F	Mississippi
		William	12	M	Mississippi
		Patience	11	F	Mississippi
		Francis M.	9	M	Mississippi
		John	8	M	Mississippi
		Elizabeth	6	F	Mississippi
		Martha	4	F	Mississippi
		James	3	M	Mississippi
		Thomas	9/12	M	Mississippi
Jasper	1850	Dempsey Dyess	63	M	S. C.
		Martha	63	F	S. C.
Jasper	1860	Abraham Dyess	2	M	?
He was living in the home of Jonathan Anderson, farmer.					

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County	Year	Name	Age	Sex	State born in
Covington	1860	John W. Dyess	45	M	Alabama
		Franklin	20	M	Mississippi
		John	19	M	Mississippi
		Elizabeth	16	F	Mississippi
		Martha	14	F	Mississippi
		James	13	M	Mississippi
		Thomas	11	M	Mississippi
		William Dyess	23	M	Mississippi
		Sarah	26	F	Arkansas
		D. P.	2	F	Mississippi
Jasper	1870	D. E. Dyess	34	M	Mississippi
		Sarah	27	F	Mississippi
		Jane	11	F	Mississippi
		A. W.	9	M	Mississippi
		J. M.	5	M	Mississippi
		Sarah	1/12	F	Mississippi
Wayne	1870	James Dyess	19	M	Mississippi
		Amanda	26	F	?
Covington	1870	Thomas Dyess	20	M	Mississippi
		Angeline	22	F	Mississippi
		W. F.	1	M	Mississippi
Next door to above.		Harriett Dyess	58	F	N. C.
		Elizabeth	25	F	?
		Elz. McPhail	8	F	?
		McVern Ward	1	M	?
Jasper	1870	Dempsey Dyess	55	M	Alabama (pauper)
Jasper	1870	Dempsey Dyess	85	M	S. C. Living
		in home of E. A. Loftin.			
Jasper	1870	Sarah Dyess	37	F	Mississippi
		Allen	19	M	Mississippi
		James	14	M	Mississippi
		Abraham	12	M	Mississippi
		Ann S.	10	F	Mississippi
		John T.	7	M	Mississippi
Wayne	1870	Winfield Dyess	51	M	Georgia
		Emaline	40	F	
		Sampson	22	M	
		Elizabeth	20	F	
		Betsy	18	F	
		Robert	16	M	
		David	11	M	
		Timmy	8	M	
		Sallie	6	F	
		Sinton	3	M	
Marion	1870	William	31	M	Mississippi
		Sarah	35	F	Arkansas
		Dysannah	11	F	Mississippi
		Jasper	10	M	Mississippi
		Joseph	6	M	Mississippi

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DEAR PAT:

ENJOYED MEETING YOU SATURDAY AT GAUTIER. ENCLOSED IS SOME INFORMATION ABOUT THE DYESS FAMILY THAT YOU REQUESTED. HOPEFULLY, IT IS THE SAME FAMILY THAT APPEARED IN THE "FAMILY PUZZLE ARTICLE" YOU MENTIONED. I AM ALSO ENCLOSING SOME INFORMATION ABOUT MY FAMILY (RANSOM LOGAN & DYESS) AND YOU CAN MAKE A DETERMINATION AS TO YOUR USE. I HAVE VERY LITTLE INFORMATION ON EITHER'S PRE-1850 STATUS.

I AM PLANNING TO GO TO PASCAGOULA TO REVIEW YOUR FILES (DATA BASE) AND TRY TO LOCATE INFORMATION ON THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE:

VAN LOFTON OF GREENE COUNTY (ALABAMA I THINK) WHO MARRIED A REBECCA WALLS IN 1785.

VAN L. LOFTON WHO MARRIED MARY COCHRANE IN MOBILE ALA BEFORE 1850.

DEMPSEY DYESS AND ALL OTHER DEMPSEYS (SEEMS TO BE SEVERAL)

AGNESS SUMRALL FAMILY OF CLARK COUNTY PRE 1850. THIS ONE SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN BORN AROUND 1824. I WILL BE IN CLARKE COUNTY NEXT WEEK WORKING ON THIS PERSON.

I AM CURIOUS TO KNOW IF YOU HAVE REDUCED YOUR DATA BASE TO DISK AND CAN IT BE PURCHASED. THANKS FOR YOUR EFFORTS AND OTHERS TO SALVAGE INFORMATION OF THE PAST. AS A NOVICE, I AM CRANKING UP FAIRLY NAKED OF INFORMATION.

RESPECTFULLY,


DONALD LOGAN

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FAMILY GROUP SHEET

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Husband: WILLIAM DYESS, SR.			
Born:	Place: SOUTH CAROLINA	Event 3:	
Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
Event 1:	Place:	Event 6:	
Event 2:	Place:		
Father:			
Mother:			
Other Wives:			
Wife: ELIZABETH "BETSY" EVORITT			
Born:	Place: SOUTH CAROLINA	Event 3:	
Died:	Place:	Event 4:	
Event 1:	Place:	Event 5:	
Event 2:	Place:		
Father: WILLIAM EVERITT			
Mother: NANCY			
Other Husbands:			
Sex	Children	List each child (living or dead)	
M/F		in order of birth	
1. Name:	CHRISTOPHER "KIT" DYESS	<i>was in 1850</i>	Spouse:
— Born:	<i>1775c</i>	Place: <i>Clarke Co, MS</i>	Event 3:
M Married:	<i>sarah</i>	Place:	Event 4:
Died:		Place:	Event 5:
2. Name:	JOSHUA DYESS	<i>was in 1840 Jasper Co, MS</i>	Spouse:
— Born:		Place:	Event 3:
M Married:		Place:	Event 4:
Died:		Place:	Event 5:
3. Name:	WILLIAM DYESS		Spouse:
— Born:		Place:	Event 3:
M Married:		Place:	Event 4:
Died:		Place:	Event 5:
4. Name:	TOM DYESS		Spouse:
— Born:		Place:	Event 3:
M Married:		Place:	Event 4:
Died:		Place:	Event 5:
5. Name:	DEMPSEY DYESS	<i>See FP/1213</i>	Spouse: MARTHA
— Born:	ABOUT 1785	Place: SOUTH CAROLINA (BARNWELL)	Event 3:
M Married:	<i>Martha</i>	Place: <i>was in South Miss</i>	Event 4:
Died:		Place: <i>1810+ (b.1787 NC)</i>	Event 5:
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<i>There was a Mary Dyess (widow) in 1810 Near Dempsey. Prob. the w/o Reuben; if so card file has group sheet info.</i>			

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Husband: WILLIAM DYESS, SR.

Yr of Birth:

Wife: ELIZABETH "BETSY" EVORITT

Yr of Birth:

Husband: WILLIAM DYESS, SR.

No additional information.

Wife: ELIZABETH "BETSY" EVORITT

Comment 1: EVORITT IS PROBABLY EVERITT

Child: CHRISTOPHER "KIT" DYESS

Event 1: October 17, 1810 Place: PASSPORT THROUGH GEORGIA

Comment 1: LIVED IN TWIGGS COUNTY GEORGIA 1810

Child: JOSHUA DYESS

No additional information.

Child: WILLIAM DYESS

No additional information.

Child: TOM DYESS

No additional information.

Child: DEMPSEY DYESS

Event 1: February 19, 1810 Place: PASSPORT THROUGH GEORGIA

Comment 1: CONSTRUCTED DYESS LINE FROM MOTHER'S NOTES

Comment 2: AND PARTS OF BOOK "THE DECENDANTS OF

Comment 3: THOMAS DYESS, 1812-1868 & NANCY JENKINS

Comment 4: 1817-1868 "BY MILLARD MARTIN (POLYANTHOS)

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My Line

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Covington Co.

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Husband: JOHN DYESS ← SON OF Dempsey			
Born: ABOUT 1812	Place: ALABAMA	Event 3:	
Married: May 12, 1835	Place: LAWRENCE CTY, MS.	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
Event 1:	Place:	Event 6:	
Event 2:	Place:		
Father: DEMPSEY DYESS			
Mother: MARTHA			
Other Wives:			
Wife: HARRIET KING			
Born: January 29, 1810	Place: NORTH CAROLINA	Event 3:	
Died: December 25, 1880	Place: GREENCREEK CEMETARY (S. OF PRENTISS)	Event 4:	
Event 1:	Place:	Event 5:	
Event 2:	Place:		
Father: JIM KING			
Mother:			
Other Husbands:			
Sex M/F	Children	List each child (living or dead) in order of birth	
1. Name: CAROLINE DYESS		Spouse: JOHN MCPHAIL	
— Born: June 8, 1836	Place:	Event 3:	
F Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died: October 12, 1914	Place:	Event 5:	
2. Name: WILLIAM DYESS		Spouse: SALLY (SARAH) RAWLES	
— Born: November 30, 1837	Place:	Event 3:	
M Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died: May 11, 1928	Place:	Event 5:	
3. Name: PATIENCE ELIZABETH DYESS		Spouse: WILLIAM HENRY DUNN, III	
— Born: ABOUT 1839	Place:	Event 3:	
F Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
4. Name: FRANCIS DYESS		Spouse: PASHA KING	
— Born: ABOUT 1841	Place:	Event 3:	
M Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
5. Name: JOHN (JACK) DYESS		Spouse: MELISSA HILL	
— Born: ABOUT 1842	Place:	Event 3:	
M Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
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Husband: JOHN DYESS		Yr of Birth: 1812	
Wife: HARRIET KING		Yr of Birth: 1810	
Sex Children (continued)			
6. Name: ELIZABETH DYESS	<i>M. 1. Ike Hill</i>		First spouse: IKE HILL
— Born: ABOUT 1844	Place:		Event 3:
F Married:	Place:	<i>2. Andrew Jackson Robbins</i>	Event 4:
Died: 1931	Place:		Event 5:
7. Name: MARTHA DYESS	<i>M. 1. Mack Ward</i>		First spouse: MACK WARD
— Born: ABOUT 1846	Place:	<i>(died CW)</i>	Event 3:
F Married:	Place:		Event 4:
Died:	Place:	<i>m. 2. Jacob McPhail</i>	Event 5:
8. Name: JAMES DYESS	Spouse: MOLLYE COOK		
— Born: ABOUT 1847	Place:	<i>M. Mollie Cook</i>	Event 3:
M Married:	Place:	<i>(TO LIT)</i>	Event 4:
Died:	Place:		Event 5:
9. Name: THOMAS DYESS	<i>M. 1. Angeline Robbins</i>		First spouse: ANGALINE ROBBINS
— Born: August 27, 1849	Place:	<i>m. 2. Julia Amelia Robbins</i>	Event 3:
M Married:	Place:	<i>(marriage records)</i>	Event 4:
Died:	Place: MAYBE 9/31/1902		Event 5:
10. Name:	Spouse:		
— Born:	Place:		Event 3:
Married:	Place:		Event 4:
Died:	Place:		Event 5:
11. Name:	Spouse:		
— Born:	Place:		Event 3:
Married:	Place:		Event 4:
Died:	Place:		Event 5:
12. Name:	Spouse:		
— Born:	Place:		Event 3:
Married:	Place:		Event 4:
Died:	Place:		Event 5:
13. Name:	Spouse:		
— Born:	Place:		Event 3:
Married:	Place:		Event 4:
Died:	Place:		Event 5:
14. Name:	Spouse:		
— Born:	Place:		Event 3:
Married:	Place:		Event 4:
Died:	Place:		Event 5:
15. Name:	Spouse:		
— Born:	Place:		Event 3:
Married:	Place:		Event 4:
Died:	Place:		Event 5:

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Husband: JOHN DYESS

Yr of Birth: 1812

Wife: HARRIET KING

Yr of Birth: 1810

Husband: JOHN DYESS

Comment 1: (MUST HAVE BEEN SECOND DEMPSEY AS I HAVE
Comment 2: LOCATED ONE DEMPSEY IN WAYNE CTY IN 1816.
Comment 3: TERRITORIAL TAX LIST AND OTHER RECORDS
Comment 4: OF WAYNE SHOW AN OLDER DEMPSEY.

Should have entered this by Dempsey Dyess

Wife: HARRIET KING

Death date/location Source: H'WY 13 TO GREENCREEK RD (5.6 MILES)

Child: CAROLINE DYESS

No additional information.

Child: WILLIAM DYESS

No additional information.

Child: PATIENCE ELIZABETH DYESS

Event 1: Place: DIED IN BROOKHAVEN

Child: FRANCIS DYESS

No additional information.

Child: JOHN (JACK) DYESS

No additional information.

Child: ELIZABETH DYESS

Additional spouses:

ANDREW ROBBINS

Child: MARTHA DYESS

Additional spouses:

JAKE MCPHAIL

I have one Dempsey
Listed beginning in 1810 old Baldwin
Co, AL + 1816-20 Wayne + 1830 Copiah +
1840-50 Jasper. His age in 1850
was 63- in 1810 he has 1 daughter-
poss. newly married.

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Husband: JOHN DYESS

Yr of Birth: 1812

Wife: HARRIET KING

Yr of Birth: 1810

Child: JAMES DYESS

No additional information.

Child: THOMAS DYESS

Additional spouses:

AMELIA ROBBINS

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Husband: RANSOM LOGAN

Yr of Birth: 1805

Wife: AGNES SUMRALL

Yr of Birth: 1824

Child: HARRIET E. LOGAN

No additional information.

Child: LOURINA LOGAN

No additional information.

Child: CADMUS B. LOGAN

No additional information.

Child: SALLIE J. LOGAN

No additional information.

*I have no data on him except
1850 Clarke co, MS census.
Ref- Family Trails magazine 1982 pg. 67-68
Family Puzzler #1061.*

Possible contacts

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*My Great
Grandfather*

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Husband: RANSOM LOGAN			
Born: ABOUT 1805	Place: SOUTH CAROLINA	Event 3:	
Married: ABOUT 1843	Place: DESOTA(QUITMAN) CLARKE CTY, MS.	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
Event 1:	Place: MAY HAD UNCLE DAVID SOUTH CAROLINA	Event 6: ABOUT 1843	
Event 2:	Place:		
Father:			
Mother:			
Other Wives:			
Wife: AGNES SUMRALL			
Born: ABOUT 1824	Place: DESOTA (QUITMAN) MISSISSIPPI	Event 3:	
Died:	Place:	Event 4:	
Event 1:	Place:	Event 5:	
Event 2:	Place:		
Father: JESSIE SUMRALL "?"			
Mother:			
Other Husbands:			
Sex Children	List each child (living or dead)		
M/F	in order of birth		
1. Name: MELVINA LOGAN		Spouse: ALEX MCPHERSON	
— Born:	Place:	Event 3:	
F Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
2. Name: JOHN MALCOME LOGAN		Spouse: C. R. ALSBROOK	
— Born: ABOUT 1844	Place:	Event 3:	
M Married: January 5, 1866	Place: CLARKE CTY, MS.	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
3. Name: LUCIEN B. LOGAN		First spouse: MADORA MCGOWEN	
— Born: October 12, 1845	Place: CLARKE CTY, MS.	Event 3:	
M Married:	Place:	Event 4:	
Died: May 16, 1926	Place: STONEWALL, MS.	Event 5:	
4. Name: ROBERT BRUCE LOGAN		Spouse: H. V. NIX	
— Born: ABOUT 1847	Place:	Event 3:	
M Married: July 12, 1871	Place: CLARKE CTY, MS.	Event 4:	
Died: 1921	Place: LAUREL, MS.	Event 5:	
5. Name: HARRIET E. LOGAN		Spouse: ANDERSON MARTIN	
— Born: ABOUT 1849	Place: CLARKE CTY, MS.	Event 3:	
F Married: February 3, 1879	Place: CLARKE CTY, MS.	Event 4:	
Died:	Place:	Event 5:	
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Husband: RANSOM LOGAN		Yr of Birth: 1805	
Wife: AGNES SUMRALL		Yr of Birth: 1824	
Sex Children (continued)			
6. Name: LOURINA LOGAN	Spouse:	Event 3:	
— Born: ABOUT 1850 Place:		Event 4:	
F Married: Place:		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			
7. Name: CADMUS B. LOGAN	Spouse:	Event 3:	
— Born: ABOUT 1859 Place:		Event 4:	
M Married: Place:		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			
8. Name: SALLIE J. LOGAN	Spouse: JOSEPH J. EVERETTE	Event 3:	
— Born: ABOUT 1864 Place: CLARKE CTY, MS.		Event 4:	
F Married: October 16, 1884 Place: CLARKE CTY, MS		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			
9. Name:	Spouse:	Event 3:	
— Born: Place:		Event 4:	
Married: Place:		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			
10. Name:	Spouse:	Event 3:	
— Born: Place:		Event 4:	
Married: Place:		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			
11. Name:	Spouse:	Event 3:	
— Born: Place:		Event 4:	
Married: Place:		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			
12. Name:	Spouse:	Event 3:	
— Born: Place:		Event 4:	
Married: Place:		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			
13. Name:	Spouse:	Event 3:	
— Born: Place:		Event 4:	
Married: Place:		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			
14. Name:	Spouse:	Event 3:	
— Born: Place:		Event 4:	
Married: Place:		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			
15. Name:	Spouse:	Event 3:	
— Born: Place:		Event 4:	
Married: Place:		Event 5:	
Died: Place:			

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Husband: RANSOM LOGAN

Yr of Birth: 1805

Wife: AGNES SUMRALL

Yr of Birth: 1824

Husband: RANSOM LOGAN

Birth date/location Source: 1850 CENSUS

Occupation: SCHOOL TEACHER

Place of residence: BEAT 1 CLARKE CTY (1850)-1ST DIST 1870

Comment 1: TRYING TO LOCATE MORE DATA ON RANSOM. HE

Comment 2: LIVED AND WORKED IN SEVERAL PLACES IN

Comment 3: CLARKE COUNTY. COULD HAVE LIVED IN CAMDEN

Comment 4: S.C. OR YORK COUNTY (I DOUBT)

Wife: AGNES SUMRALL

Birth date/location Source: 1850 CENSUS

Comment 1: PROBATE RECORD CLARKE CTY. VOL 4 1848

Comment 2: DIVIDED ESTATE OF MOLES SUMRALL AN

Comment 3: UNCLE. RECORD AT QUITMAN, MS. P. 184.

Moles could have been Moses as it is hard to read.

Child: MELVINA LOGAN

No additional information.

It is Moses - they come from Chesterfield Co, SC & intermarried with my Nicholson family of Wayne Co, MS.

Child: JOHN MALCOME LOGAN

Birth date/location Source: CENSUS 1850

Comment 1: MAY HAVE WENT TO TEXAS

Child: LUCIEN B. LOGAN

Birth date/location Source: FAMILY BIBLE/1850 CENSUS

Comment 1: MY GRANDFATHER. I NEVER SAW, BUT INTEND

Comment 2: TO LOCATE MORE INFORMATION.

Comment 3: CIVIL WAR- CAPT. BERRYS CO. MS. INF.

Comment 4: RESERVES (PRIVATE)

There was a d/d Wm. Dyess of CA 1816 Barnwell Co, SC who was m. to a James Bentley. Deed BK I pg 394

Additional spouses:

SUSAN CATHERINE BRADY

Married: November 18, 1883 Place: DESOTA, MS.

Child: ROBERT BRUCE LOGAN

Event 1: 1921

Place: SPRINGHILL CEMETARY WEST OF LAUREL